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REPORT
— OF THE —
TOWN OFFICERS
— OF —
IPSWICH, MASS.,



FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1909
— AND THE —
TWO HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SIXTH YEAR OF THE
TOWN'S INCORPORATION.

IPSWICH, MASS.:
CHRONICLE MOTOR PRINT.
1910.

TOWN OFFICERS, 1909.

SELECTMEN.

GEO. A. SCHOFIELD, Chairman.

Charles E. Goodhue,

John A. Brown

ASSESSORS.

GEO. A. SCHOFIELD, Chairman.

William B. Richards,

Richard R. Glasier

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

GEO. A. SCHOFIELD, Chairman.

William B. Richards,

John G. Sperling

TOWN CLERK, TREASURER AND COLLECTOR.

CHARLES W. BAMFORD.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

George W. Tozer, Chairman,

Term expires 1912

George H. W. Hayes,

" " 1912

John H. Cogswell, Secretary,

" " 1911

Harriet E. Noyes,

" " 1911

George E. Mac Arthur,

" " 1910

Charles G. Hull,

" " 1910

REGISTRARS OF VOTERS.

Charles H. Glasier, Chairman,

Charles W. Bamford

J. Howard Lakeman,

Lyman H. Daniels

AUDITOR.

Arthur H. Walton.

CONSTABLE.

Wesley B. Atkinson.

MUNICIPAL WATER AND LIGHTING COMMISSION.

GEO. A. SCHOFIELD, Chairman.

Geo. H. W. Hayes,

William H. Rand

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS.

Philip E. Clarke,

John H. Baker,

John G. Sperling

BOARD OF HEALTH.

GEO. E. MAC ARTHUR, Chairman.

Levi W. Mallard,

Maynard Whittier

PARK COMMISSIONERS.

FRANK T. GOODHUE, Chairman.

John G. Sperling,

Jere Sullivan

SUPT. MOTH DEPT. AND TREE WARDEN.

James A. Morey.

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

JOSEPH A. HUCKINS, Superintendent.

SNOW ACCOUNT.

Bills for January and February, 1909.

DISTRICT NO. 1.

Paid for shoveling, etc.

Albert Sheppard	\$ 7 54
Geo W Brown	34 07
W F Gould	4 72
T R Lord	24 73
Patrick Donlon.....	13 40
Napoleon Marcorelle.....	10 51
Lathrop Bros... ..	42 02
A W Brown	24 64
F M Burke	6 00
Wm Noonan.....	9 74

Frank Scahill.....	\$ 4 20
Wm Wallace.....	1 54
Frank Fewkes	10 42
Albert Hills	1 98
Howard Blake	1 65
Paul Garrette	32 29
Geo H Brocklebank	4 62
Isaac Spencer.....	88
Jere Sullivan	2 88
Wm Burns.....	88
Lincoln Howe.....	2 22
John Douglass	6 64
Geo Brocklebank.....	1 56
Roy Wait.....	1 76
John Harris	2 00
Albert Willard	2 88
Oscar Littlefield	2 00
Sam'l Hicks.....	88
Irving Manzer	88
John Cronin	88
Jesse Surrette	2 20
Robert Spencer	2 00
Fred N Bodwell.....	2 77
Wm H Bodwell	88
Silas Crooker	2 22
John Sturk	1 76
Edw Bodwell	2 44
Ward Wright	2 22
Ed Smith.....	4 66
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	\$ 281 56

DISTRICT NO. 2.

Paid for shoveling, etc.

Silas Crooker.....	\$ 6 95
Chas A Dorr.....	10 58
Wm P Ross.....	21 33

N T Lowe	\$ 1 20
Wm L Stone, Jr	5 17
Albert Leet	66
Edw Spiller	7 04
John Dolan	2 31
N T Lowe, Jr.	1 43
Clarence Leet	1 54
Wm Black	2 31
Chas H Parsons	44
James H Hull, Jr	2 11
A Montgomery	1 76
Leroy Goodhue	1 76
Thos Wilkinson	1 76
Harry Dolan	2 86
Chas Dolan	1 10
Nelson Bourque	1 76
Thos Roberts	2 11
Louis Gurter	1 43
Fred Denningham	1 54
Geo Lowe	1 54
Warren Dodge	1 10
Arthur Hicks	44
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	\$ 82 53

DISTRICT NO. 5.

Paid for shoveling, etc.

A W Brown	\$ 2 50
Wm Noonan	1 10
Frank Fewkes	1 10
Albert Willard	1 10
Sam'l Hicks	1 10
John Harris	1 10
Irving Manzer	1 10
John Cronin	1 10

John Douglass	\$ 1 10	
Oscar Littlefield	1 10	
Eben Moulton	2 44	
Chas G Brown	88	
M T Phelan	1 32	
	<hr/>	\$ 17 04

DISTRICT NO. 6.

Paid for shoveling, etc.

Paul Garrette	\$ 4 06	
Wm Garrette	2 00	
Isaac Spencer	2 00	
Wm Burns	2 00	
W Q Kinsman	18 88	
Carl Caverly	5 75	
A B Fellows	6 88	
Albion Spyut	5 65	
Nath'l Wright	2 22	
John Cummings	1 10	
Michael Young	2 00	
Albert Young	3 65	
Geo Smith	1 10	
Wm G Horton	5 32	
	<hr/>	\$ 62 55

DISTRICT NO. 7.

Paid for shoveling, etc.

E N Brown	\$ 4 00	
A Story Brown	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 8 00

DISTRICT NO. 8.

Paid for shoveling, etc.

Michael Young	\$ 2 00	
Albert Young	2 00	
John Cummings	2 00	
Albert Elwell.....	6 72	
E N Brown	3 82	
	<hr/>	\$ 16 54

DISTRICT NO. 9.

Paid for shoveling, etc.

Roderick Cummings	\$ 2 00	
Chas Wright.....	2 00	
Nath'l Wright.....	2 88	
A Story Brown	2 50	
Fred G Cross	2 77	
	<hr/>	\$ 12 15

DISTRICT NO. 10.

Paid for shoveling, etc.

Arthur Senior.....	\$ 88	
Wm F Warner.....	2 00	
Peter Quill....	44	
Jos F Quill....	44	
John C Gerry.....	66	
	<hr/>	\$ 4 42

DISTRICT NO. 11.

Paid for shoveling, etc.

T R Lord	\$ 1 32	
Wm H Bodwell	2 11	
W Ellsworth	4 20	
Patrick Donlon	1 32	
E S Webster	88	
Geo A Davis	1 10	
H Langdon	1 10	
Geo Lowe	88	
Lincoln Howe	88	
	\$ 13 79	

DISTRICT NO. 14.

Paid for shoveling, etc.

A G Lauer	\$ 3 38	
A H Lauer	1 10	
Libie J Wood	2 50	
	\$ 6 98	

DISTRICT NO. 15.

Paid for shoveling, etc.

Chas Jewett	\$ 44 52	
Geo Harris	45	
Ernest Jewett	11 41	
Paul Garrette	2 44	
Henry Andrews	2 64	
Frank Bodwell	6 07	
Edw Smith	2 00	
Howard Andrews	1 54	
Geo Gwinn	2 55	
Leslie Dupray	2 55	

Joseph Hardy	\$ 1 76	
James Cummings.....	1 21	
Walter G Brown	1 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 80 14

DISTRICT NO. 16.

Paid for shoveling, etc.

James W Bur is.....	\$ 55	
Geo Sias	55	
Frank Lang	55	
Bert Lang	55	
Edwin Hiller	55	
James Sheppard.....	55	
	<hr/>	\$ 3 30

Bills for December, 1909.

SNOW.

DISTRICT NO. 1.

Paid for shoveling, etc.

Lathrop Bros.	\$ 17 07
Wile Bros	5 50
Frank Scahill	14 44
Albert Sheppard	12 00
John Sullivan	10 00
Edw Bodwell	6 00
John Davis	2 00
Wm Noonan.....	8 00
Stanley Roper	4 88
Ed Robishaw.....	6 88
Ernest Drapeau.....	4 88
Geo W Brown	1 10
Geo Brocklebank.....	1 32

Henry Churchill	\$ 2 00	
Medley Parlee	2 00	
Robt Gove.....	88	
Jesse Surrence	11 76	
Jos Surrence	9 65	
Wm Kirby	6 00	
Geo Duffy.....	5 10	
Geo McLellan.....	6 88	
Isaac Spencer.....	6 00	
Geo Goodhue	4 00	
Michael McGary	4 00	
T R Lord	7 32	
Patrick Donlon	3 76	
Wm H Bodwell	3 10	
Jos Chaput	2 88	
Alfred Gallant.....	1 89	
Ralph B Pickard	2 88	
Frank Ross.....	1 10	
Harold Langdon	1 65	
Fred B Saunders.....	2 22	
		\$ 179 14

DISTRICT NO. 2.

Paid for shoveling, etc.

Nathaniel Lowe, Jr.....	\$ 1 32
George Lowe	66
Albert Jewett.....	1 32
Clarence Leet	1 10
Arthur Montgomery	2 44
James Hull, Jr	2 88
Elmer Smith	1 10
Thomas Roberts	1 10
Ralph Brocklebank.....	2 44
Charles Poor	2 44

Harry McGilvary	\$ 3 43	
Walter Brown.....	2 33	
George Brown.....	88	
Thos Wilkinson.....	2 33	
Albert Fairfield.....	3 10	
Henry Churchill	2 44	
Chas Rollins.....	1 43	
Samuel Bailey ...	1 43	
Harold Poor.....	2 44	
Walter E Dodge	2 44	
Alfred L Rollins	1 43	
John McLaughlin.....	2 88	
Stanley Gove	1 54	
John Dolan.....	5 10	
Chas A Dorr.....	3 10	
Silas Crooker.....	2 00	
Edgar Holland	2 44	
Stephen Caswell.....	1 10	
Joseph Claxton, Jr.....	2 44	
Chas Dort.....	33	
Clyde Hall	1 10	
Edward Spiller	3 65	
Charles G Hull	88	
Wm P Ross	7 75	
Leroy Goodhue.....	1 10	
	————	\$ 75 89

DISTRICTS 4, 5, 6, 7, 9.

Paid for shoveling, etc.

John Morehouse	\$ 5 76
Jas H Leet	5 54
Leander Jewett.....	5 76
Robt Gove.....	1 54
Alfred Norman	5 54
Oscar Littlefield	5 76

Samuel Hicks.....	\$ 5 76
Wm Burnham	5 76
Otho Charles.....	88
David Hinckley	5 54
H M Lakeman	2 00
Benj Fewkes.....	2 20
Wm Wright	4 00
Wm Reilly.....	5 76
Geo Smith.....	4 50
Lathrop Bros	7 00
Gust Kinsman	2 00
Henry Ricker.....	2 00
Allan W Brown.....	6 00
John Davis	2 50
Quincy Kinsman	19 76
Carl Caverley	10 00
R Lord.....	9 54
R Fellows.....	8 88
M Young	10 00
John Cummings	10 00
N Wright	10 00
Ambrose Young	10 00
Albion Spyut	1 76
Wm Burns	2 00
E N Brown	21 10
A Story Brown	21 32
Albert Elwell	14 80
J W Horton	5 54
J H Brown	15 10
Eben Moulton	4 83
Fred G Cross	15 54
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	\$ 275 97

DISTRICT NO. 11.

Paid for shoveling, etc.

Edward L Blaisdell	\$ 3 32	
Clarence L Pickard	3 10	
L G Parsons	3 10	
F L Howe	3 43	
Thomas W Whitehead	3 10	
Jesse W Bodwell	3 10	
Walter Ellsworth	3 87	
A C Copp	3 21	
Robert T Bamford	3 21	
James W Burnes	1 54	
John McCarty	2 44	
Benj Burnes	1 10	
Alvery Marriott	44	
Fred Gotier	1 32	
Frank Barney	1 32	
William Scott	99	
Edwin Hiller	99	
Stanley Jaslovic	1 21	
John Zabower	1 21	
James Sheppard	4 00	
		\$ 46 00

DISTRICT NO. 12.

Paid for shoveling, etc.

L J Wood	\$ 10 00	
Frank Ray	99	
Manning Marshall	99	
Irwin Hawkes	88	
Chas Steele	1 10	
Wm O Conant	88	
J C Conant	1 32	
		\$ 16 16

DISTRICT NO. 14.

Paid for shoveling, etc.

A G Lauer.....	\$ 6 10
G H Lauer	2 88
Fred Morrisy.....	2 44
Lyman Perley.....	1 76
W W Ballard	1 10
	—————
	\$ 14 28

DISTRICT NO. 15.

Paid for shoveling, etc.

Chas Jewett.....	\$ 23 66
John A Brown	6 50
Walter Brown	4 50
Parker Murray	2 22
Ernest Jewett	1 76
Edgar Dupray	4 00
Lester Dupray.....	4 00
T Martelle	7 76
J Martelle Jr	2 00
R Martelle.....	2 00
John Singer.....	2 00
Lester Mallard.....	2 70
O Leno	2 70
H Gwinn	2 70
J Avery	6 44
Wm Ready	1 10
Chas Miller.....	2 00
E Wile.....	9 10
J Martelle.....	5 54
Geo Gwinn.....	4 00
Edw Bodwell...	2 88

M McGeary.....	\$ 3 76	
H Churchill.....	2 88	
E Drapeau.....	2 00	
Stanley Roper	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 110 20

DISTRICT NO. 16.

Paid for shoveling, etc.

James Sheppard	\$ 1 00	
John McCarty	66	
James Burns	44	
Benj Burns	44	
A Marriott.....	44	
Fred Gotier	44	
Frank Barney	44	
Wm Scott	44	
Edw Hiller.....	44	
M Donohoe.....	99	
Simon Hayes	99	
John Zabower	44	
Stanley Jaslovic	44	
	<hr/>	\$ 7 60

SUMMARY SNOW ACCOUNT.

January and February Bills.

District No	1.....	\$ 281 56
"	2.....	82 53
"	5.....	17 04
"	6.....	62 55
"	7.....	8 00
"	8.....	16 54
"	9.....	12 15
"	10.....	4 42
"	11.....	13 79
"	14.....	6 98
"	15.....	80 14
"	16.....	3 30

December Bills.

"	1	179 14
"	2	75 80
"	4, 5, 6, 7, 9	275 97
"	11.....	46 00
"	12.....	16 16
"	14.....	14 28
"	15.....	110 20
"	16.....	7 60

\$ 1314 24

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT.

JOSEPH A. HUCKINS, Superintendent.

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

DISTRICT NO. 1.

The following work was done in District No. 1 which takes in part of a number of the former districts, and the whole of old District No. 3.

Paid for Labor, Teams and Gravel.

Est Albert S Brown	\$ 99 15
Paul Garrette	50 20
Edw Smith	1 10
Wm Wallace.....	74 40
J Surrette.....	20 32
Wm Curby	3 54
Thos Smith	121 62
Frank Scahill	450 40
Josiah Perkins.....	7 54

Geo W Brown	\$ 1 54
Silas Crooker	113 16
A W Brown	12 50
Edw Bodwell	166 30
Herbert Witham.....	57 74
James B Scott	1 10
Frank Babcock	3 54
Frank Bodwell.....	23 10
Epps Norwood.....	23 98
Wm Noonan	243 16
H Wilkinson	86 96
Wile Bros	11 50
John Sullivan.....	99 26
Ja nes King	4 64
Bert Sheppard.....	118 86
Chas Noyes	7 32
John Minnehan	53 28
Noel Boucher.....	27 30
Isaac Spencer	27 15
W F Gould	18 00
Joe Chaput.....	2 88
Dennis Minnehan	1 25
John McLaughlin	4 00
	————— \$ 1936 79

DISTRICT NO. 2.

Paid for Labor, Teams and Gravel.

Silas Crooker	\$ 87 48
Chas A Dorr.....	29 17
N T Lowe.....	45 50
Wm P Ross.....	61 41
Paul Garrette	2 00
Wm Wallace	4 00
Albert Leet	8 09

H Wilkinson	\$ 79 72
Eben L Thomas	27 30
Frank Sanborn	6 09
Edw Bodwell	13 76
Geo Hodgdon	11 25
John Minnekan	2 22
Frank Scahill	2 00
Albert Sheppard	8 00
A S Brown Est.	10 35
Wile Bros	10 50
John Sullivan	2 00
D S Appleton	2 00
Lathrop Bros	2 50
	<hr/> \$ 415 25

DISTRICT NO. 4.

Paid for Labor, Teams and Gravel.

Silas Crooker	\$ 2 00
Thos Smith	2 00
E N Brown	6 50
A Story Brown	6 50
Carl Caverly	66 50
John Sullivan	33 10
N T Lowe	61 00
J Galbraith	19 00
Gust Kinsman	24 50
Edw Bodwell	32 42
H Wilkinson	33 32
Albert Sheppard	32 00
A S Brown Heirs	6 60
Frank Scahill	6 00
Wm Noonan	18 00
	<hr/> \$ 349 44

DISTRICT NO. 5.

Paid for Labor, Teams and Gravel,

E N Brown	\$ 121 42
A Story Brown	81 10
C G Brown	54 86
Eben Moulton	118 42
B R Horton	39 98
Fred G Cross	92 42
Rees Jenkins	47 20
G L Woodbury	9 00
Lathrop Bros	16 00
Dana Hooper	4 00
Thos Smith	2 00
John Sullivan	8 00
J W Horton	4 88
Albert Elwell	62 10
H Wilkinson	8 04
J H Brown	65 00
	\$ 734 42

DISTRICT NO. 6

Paid for Labor, Teams and Gravel.

E N Brown	\$ 26 48
A Story Brown	2 88
Quincy Kinsman	71 73
Wm Noonan	4 00
Silas Crooker	8 00
H Wilkinson	23 10
Tom Smith	6 00
Eben Moulton	16 60
Fred G Cross	29 60
B R Horton	9 10

John Sullivan.....	\$ 15 10	
Albert Sheppard.....	13 10	
J W Horton.....	9 10	
Aaron Lord	3 75	
	<hr/>	\$ 238 54

DISTRICT NO. 7.

Paid for Labor, Teams and Gravel.

E N Brown.....	\$ 52 92	
A Story Brown	56 42	
B R Horton	19 54	
Fred G Cross	44 36	
Albert Elwell.....	1 94	
Eben Moulton	3 50	
C G Brown.....	1 54	
J H Brown.....	23 10	
J W Horton	9 10	
	<hr/>	\$ 212 42

DISTRICT NO. 8.

Paid for Labor, Teams and Gravel.

John H Brown.....	\$ 10 10	
Albert Elwell.....	14 66	
	<hr/>	\$ 24 76

DISTRICT NO. 9.

Paid for Labor, Teams and Gravel.

Ed Wile	\$ 13 50
Wile Bros	13 50
John Sullivan	12 00
Walter Fessenden.....	6 00
W H Fessenden	7 18
	\$ 52 18

DISTRICT 10.

Paid for Labor, Teams and Gravel.

Eugene Sullivan	\$ 34 49
Arthur Senior	8 25
Thos Smith	22 20
John M Purinton	2 44
A W Brown	32 50
Wile Bros	87 00
John Sullivan.....	10 66
Wm F Warner.....	82 77
Wm Goodhue.....	59 00
Peter Quill	24 00
Fred Bodycote.....	12 00
Wm Kirby	26 00
Arnold Fessenden.....	18 88
Frank Lane	7 76
Lathrop Bros.....	49 50
Ed Bodwell.....	9 10
Jos Quill	10 00
Daniel Quill	4 00
W Fessenden	1 32
W H Fessenden.....	60
John Davis	18 00
Geo Duffy.....	8 00
	\$ 528 47

DISTRICT NO. 11.

Paid for Labor, Teams and Gravel.

Patrick Donlon.....	\$ 16 18
T R Lord.....	36 01
N R Underhill.....	2 60
Spencer Gwinn	24 65
W Ellsworth	19 52
Wm A Burnham.....	20 31
James Sheppard.....	23 20
Hallett Dole.....	2 40
Edmund Wile	80
W K Chapman.....	18 25
Frank Lang	6 31
Geo Gwinn	4 42
Lincoln Howe	1 76
	————— \$ 176 41

DISTRICT 12.

Paid for Labor, Teams and Gravel.

Libie J Wood.....	\$ 53 50
Wm O Conant.....	29 75
A H Rutherford.....	13 54
E I Chapman	15 40
Forrest L Gross	10 00
J C Conant	28 09
Herbert Lowe.....	2 00
John C Lowe.....	2 00
John Speller.....	8 97
Jos Stinson.....	8 00
Frank Ray	14 00
Chas D Stanford.....	2 80

D S Perley	\$ 22 50	
I Hawkes	2 00	
Geo Lowe.....	4 00	
Newman Saunders.....	4 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 220 55

DISTRICT NO. 13.

Paid for Labor, Teams and Gravel.

James Kinnear	\$ 18 07	
Lewis R Stone	7 32	
Lyman Perley	29 30	
D S Perley	103 25	
A G Lauer.....	51 50	
J C Conant	26 88	
N Saunders	4 10	
Chas Steele	8 00	
	<hr/>	\$ 248 42

DISTRICT NO. 14.

Paid for Labor, Teams and Gravel.

A G Lauer.....	\$ 65 94	
Lyman Perley	16 44	
Geo H Lauer	15 54	
James Kinnear	7 00	
D Sidney Perley	32 50	
Eliza Perley	7 10	
W N Ballard	12 44	
Clarence Howe.....	6 40	
	<hr/>	\$ 163 36

DISTRICT NO. 15.

Paid for Labor, Teams and Gravel.

Walter G Brown.....	\$ 34 75
John Davis.....	58 75
Silas Crooker	13 65
Thos Smith.....	13 76
Frank Bodwell.. ..	41 83
Howard Andrews.....	12 53
Chas Jewett.....	91 02
Hallett Dole.....	21 60
Everett Rutherford.....	3 65
Ernest Jewett	2 00
Geo H Day	2 00
Ed-Bodwell.....	15 76
Heirs Edw Dole.....	3 15
Philip Champoux	12 56
Albert Sheppard.....	12 00
Parker Murray	2 44
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	\$ 341 45

DISTRICT NO. 16.

Paid for Labor, Teams and Gravel.

Chas Day.....	\$ 34 00
Edw Bodwell	11 54
Chas Noyes	9 54
H Wilkinson	9 54
John W Davis	26 00
Edmund Wile.....	21 50
D S Appleton	9 54
J W Nourse	14 70

T R Lord	\$ 8 00	
W K Chapman	8 00	
James Sheppard	8 00	
W Ellsworth	3 54	
Wm A Burnham	3 54	
Chas D Stanford	3 90	
	<hr/>	\$ 171 34

MISCELLANEOUS.

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
D A Grady	use of team	\$130 00
John W Goodhue	supplies	44 74
Wm A Spiller	repairs, etc	21 95
Geo N Black	labor	75
Wm Durand	"	75
Ernest Lemay	iron work	2 90
H M Purinton	" "	4 00
C C Caldwell	coal	23 13
N J Bolles	supplies	2 73
Henry A Pickard	stock and labor	115 71
Jackson Express Co	express	3 05
Good Roads Machine Co	repair parts	21 18
S F Canney	lumber	260 17
Jos A King	iron work	25 30
J A Huckins	superintendent	200 00
J A Huckins	cash paid	14 89
Aaron Lord	labor	33 75
Robert Spencer	"	83 24
James Graffum	repairs, etc	29 40

MISCELLANEOUS (Continued.)

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
Alonzo L Brown	oil	\$ 60
American Express Co	express	2 55
E R Smith	supplies	3 85
Horace E Barker	team	1 00
A J Barton & Son	labor	43 35
Mrs A S Brown	gravel	64 05
Wheeler, McElveen Co	new horses	700 00
J & H L Potter	new wagon	130 00
B & M R R Co	freight	8 80
M W Chadbourne	painting	3 09
C F Chapman	repairs	9 20
T F Cogswell Co	supplies	21 55
Baker Manufacturing Co	"	10 00
Ames Plow Co	"	4 13
Snow Iron Works	iron fittings	33 70
Chronicle Pub Co	printing	2 00
Geo R Lakeman Est	stone	19 75
H L Bond Co	supplies	11 40
A I Savory	"	19 40
A C Damon	"	4 20
A D Mallard	team	1 50
J W Nourse	labor	1 00
J E Dodge	"	1 50
Thomas P Thomas	concreting	390 50
Wm H Hills	labor	7 50
Iroquois Iron Works	repairs	5 40
A H Plouff	"	1 35
J Durand	labor	13 10
Electric Light Dept	wiring sheds	36 90
Geo E Daniels	blasting	20 80
C L Stevens & Co	repairs	35
F T Goodhue	supplies	55
D E Measures	book	40

 MISCELLANEOUS (Continued.)

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
James A Morey	team	\$ 5 00
Geo W Brown	labor	5 00
Wm H Rand	labor and supplies	25 35
Town Farm	hay 1908	72 60
H A Pickard	contract on sheds	1439 27
B W Woodward	plans and labor	71 47
Thomas Smith	labor Gould's bridge	18 00
H Wilkinson	" " "	6 00
Aaron Lord	" " "	15 00
John Sullivan	" " "	4 00
Wm Noonan	" " "	8 00
C Shannon	engineer roller	47 50
Total,		<hr/> \$4,308 30

TOWN STABLES.

It was found necessary to purchase a new pair of horses in July, 1909, making three pair now owned by this department. The fact that all of the horses are now kept at one stable makes it impossible to keep accurate separate accounts for each team and the whole expense is now placed in this department.

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
Wm G Horton	grain	\$404 21
Geo B Brown	"	369 08
Town Farm	hay	230 15
A Story Brown	"	108 05
Est A S Brown	"	83 49
E B Moulton	"	55 54
M Whittier	supplies	1 00
C F Chapman	repairs and supplies	50 40
C F Chapman	double harness	65 00
J R Richards	repairs and supplies	55 85
J W Goodhue	supplies	6 17
C L Stevens & Co	repairs	1 75
John Galbraith	supplies	1 50
Jos A King	repairs	2 25
West Disinfecting Co	supplies	10 75
N J Bolles	supplies	2 35
Snow Iron Works	repairs	5 30
Burton Oil Co	oil	2 50
B W Woodward	labor and stock	43 10
A H Plouff	supplies	30
H D Lambert	veterinary services	12 00
Water Dept	water	51 06
W A Spiller	repairs	6 40
Geo E Marshall	supplies	1 25
J W Davidson	shoeing, etc	6 40
H M Purinton	"	86 31
Dupray Brothers	"	6 00
A P Hills Co	supplies	1 06
B J Conley	"	90
Jos A Huckins	driver	720 00
Ernest Carter	"	710 00
Total,		\$3,100 12

Seven horses were kept at the stables during the year.

The cost of hay and grain was..... \$1250 52

The cost for each horse was (per week) 3 42

The department was reimbursed as follows:

By F L Burke & Son, 2 horses 30 weeks..\$205 20

By Ele. Light Dept, 1 horse 52 weeks.... 177 84

Total reimbursed, \$383 04

Total cost of Stables,..... \$3100 12

“ reimbursed..... 383 04

Net cost..... \$2717 08

This was the expense of the three teams, including the salaries of two regular drivers. The detailed report of work done by teams, and an inventory of property in highway department, will be found in the Superintendent's Report.

SUMMARY BY DISTRICTS.

Districts (1 and 3)	\$1936 79
“ No 2.....	415 25
“ “ 4.....	349 44
“ “ 5	734 42
“ “ 6.....	238 54
“ “ 7.....	212 42
“ “ 8.....	24 76
“ “ 9.....	52 18
“ “ 10.....	528 47
“ “ 11.....	176 41
“ “ 12.....	220 55
“ “ 13.....	248 42
“ “ 14.....	163 36
“ “ 15.....	341 45
“ “ 16.....	171 34
Miscellaneous.....	4308 30
Town Stables.....	3100 12
Total,.....	\$13,222 22

DR.	HIGHWAY SUMMARY.	CR.	
To bal Union st app	\$ 400 00	By paid snow	\$ 1314 24
To bal B & M R R	500 00	By paid road repairs	5813 80
To appro 1909	8000 00	By paid stables	3100 12
To app '09 sidewalks	500 00	By paid miscellaneous	4308 30
To app '09 New Sheds	1500 00	By balance	366 93
To cash St R R tax	2963 17		
To cash motor vehicle fund	3 69		
To cash refunded	11 49		
To cash School Dept	337 50		
To cash due from School Dept	37 50		
To cash Electric Dept, board of horse	177 84		
To cash F L Burke, board of horses	205 20		
To cash due Street sprinkling, '09	267 00		
	<u>\$14,903 39</u>		<u>\$14,903 39</u>

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HIGHWAY SUMMARY

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FEES AND SALARIES.

SELECTMEN.

Paid

Geo A Schofield, chairman and clerk.....	\$ 250 00
Chas E Goodhue	125 00
John A Brown	75 00
	\$ 450 00
ASSESSORS.	
Paid	
Geo A Schofield, chairman and clerk.....	\$ 150 00
R R Glasier	75 00
Wm B Richards.....	75 00
	\$ 300 00

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

Paid

Geo A Schofield, chairman and clerk.....	\$ 150 00
John G Sperling	93 75
Wm B Richards.....	75 00
	\$ 318 75

Paid

Chas W Bamford, town clerk	\$ 233 29
“ “ treasurer and collector.....	600 00
James Damon, auditor	25 00
A H Walton “	125 00
	\$ 983 29

CONSTABLES.

Paid

W B Atkinson, posting warrants.....	\$ 20 50
	\$ 20 50

BOARD OF HEALTH.

Paid

Levi W Mallard.....	\$ 50 00
Geo E MacArthur.....	50 00
M Whittier.....	50 00
	<u>\$ 150 00</u>

Paid

W A Stone, sealer.....	\$ 75 00
A S Garland, keeper of lockup.....	50 00
C A Sayward, moderator.....	20 00
C W Bamford, recording deaths, etc.....	104 70
Geo G Bailey, M D, returning births.....	19 00
W E Tucker, M D, " ".....	5 25
E C Steeves, M D, " ".....	75 00
E N Brown, cattle inspector, 2 years.....	290 00
P E Clark, returning deaths.....	11 00
	<u>\$ 575 70</u>

REGISTRARS.

Paid

J Howard Lakeman.....	\$ 22 50
L H Daniels.....	30 00
C H Glasier.....	30 00
Charles W Bamford.....	30 00
	<u>\$ 112 50</u>

POLICE.

Chas T Littlefield.....	\$ 741 40
W B Atkinson.....	562 13
Daniel H Wells.....	740 00
A S Garland.....	5 40
Jos A Comer.....	181 00
Chas Olson.....	7 75
J R Richards.....	14 50
Chas M Jewett.....	10 25
Geo McLellan.....	8 50
R McInnis.....	7 00
Farley Lord.....	4 40

H F Fall.....	\$ 10 50
C E Goodhue	26 00
E Girard	2 63
E Titus.....	4 00
O A Littlefield.....	8 00
Horace Barker.....	5 25
H O Whittier.....	7 25
	———— \$ 2345 96

ELECTION OFFICERS.

W J Fleming	\$ 7 00
Wm H Hills	12 00
J W Mansfield	12 00
W F Gould	12 00
F H Girard	12 00
A S Hills	12 00
Edw Smith	7 00
Percy Rogers	7 00
Harry Sheppard	5 00
G F Langdon.....	5 00
Wm J Sheehan.....	5 00
Arthur Fall.....	5 00
M Callahan.....	10 00
Conrad Brooks.....	5 00
Michael Judge	5 00
Willis Augur	10 00
John Hoey.....	10 00
Geo V Hills	5 00
C W Bamford	5 00
N Archer	5 00
Chas Wait	5 00
F F Byron.....	5 00
A H Walton	5 00
Chas A Olson	5 00
J W A Hayes	5 00
James Damon.....	5 00
H S Bowen	5 00

John R Morris	\$ 5 00	
Geo A Schofield.....	5 00	
John A Brown	5 00	
Chas E Goodhue	5 00	
		<hr/> \$ 211 00

DR.	SUMMARY.		CR.
To appropriation '09	\$4500 00	Paid Selectmen	\$ 450 00
To cash from receipts	967 70	Assessors	300 00
		Overseers	318 75
		Treas. & Col.	600 00
		Town Clerk	233 29
		Auditors	150 00
		Constable	20 50
		Board of Health	150 00
		Registrars	112 50
		Police	2345 96
		Election Officers	211 00
		Other Fees	575 70
	<hr/> \$5467 70		<hr/> \$5467 70

SOLDIERS' RELIEF.

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
N. Burnham	rent	\$ 77 00
A. H. Peatfield	fuel	69 44
W. B. Richards	groceries	240 00
Nellie W. Augur	rent	48 00
Geo. E. MacArthur	medical aid	130 75
L. E. Willcomb	groceries	108 00
City of Beverly	aid	10 00
P. E. Clarke	funeral	25 50
Geo. Haskell	"	11 50
Mrs. E. G. Hull	cash	60 00
Martha Clark	"	48 00
Josiah Perkins	"	60 00
Geo. Brown	"	55 00
Dexter McIntire	"	15 00
Henry Tonge	"	15 00
		<u>\$ 973 19</u>

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SUMMARY.

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To amt due from Commonwealth	\$ 37 00	By bills paid	\$ 973 19
To cash from receipts	936 19		
	<u>\$ 973 19</u>		<u>\$ 973 19</u>

CEMETERIES.

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
A H Plouff	labor	\$ 12 00
Chas Jewett	"	7 64
J W Goodhue	supplies	8 75
Jere Sullivan	labor	161 09
Hiram Parlee	"	25 08
Wm H Hills	"	9 54
Fred B Saunders	"	52 97
G H W Hayes	advice	2 00
Wm E Reilly	labor	10 12
Edmund Seahill	"	11 00
A J Barton	"	1 50
A G Lauer	"	1 00
Frank Bodwell	"	18 64
Edw G Hull	"	10 00
Mrs A S Brown	dirt	6 00
John H Baker	labor	221 32
Howard Blake	"	27 99
Thos H Lord	supplies	76
E W Pearson	"	38 50
Wm F Rutherford	labor	113 00
Wm A Webber	"	22 95
Thos P Thomas	concreting	53 22
O M Hills	labor	15 00
Edmund Ready	"	25 00
James Kinnear	"	8 00
Robert Spencer	"	19 62

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
S F Canney	lumber	\$ 11 41
Luther A Lord	labor	153 80
Jos Breck & Sons	shrubs	7 25
Chas E Whipple	building road	525 00
J G Sperling	labor	69 50
Wilbur D French	"	31 46
Wm H Kirk	"	7 00
Wm Denningham	"	1 00
P E Clarke	"	64 56
Water Dept	water	9 33
Total		\$ 1763 00

DR.	SUMMARY.		CR.
To appropriation	\$ 1800 00	By bills paid	\$ 1763 00
		By bal	37 00
	<u>\$ 1800 00</u>		<u>\$ 1800 00</u>

REPORT OF BOARD OF HEALTH

FOR THE YEAR 1909.

Whole number of contagious and infectious diseases reported 43, classified as follows:

Diphtheria	7
Scarlet Fever.....	12
Measles	13
Tuberculosis.....	7
Typhoid Fever.....	2
Whooping Cough	2

Deaths;

Diphtheria	2
Typhoid Fever.....	1

There have been no epidemics of these diseases, although there were twelve more cases reported than last year. They represented a smaller number of households, however, than were represented last year.

The general sanitary conditions of the town are about the same as they have been the last three years.

We take pleasure in noting one thing, and that is that the monthly reports of the analysis of the public water supply made by the State Board of Health show the water to be of excellent quality and purity, and above the average of the public water supplies of the State. It is a cause for congratulation that of the cases of diphtheria recently reported to the Board, none of them were connected with the public water supply, but used water from wells. This fact ought to silence the critics of the public water supply.

The Agent's report which appears under its own heading deals at some length with sanitary matters, and will be found interesting reading.

Following are the expenditures by the Board for 1909.

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
Maynard Whittier	agent's salary	\$ 373 49
Maynard Whittier	use of team	156 60
E Newton Brown	meat inspector sal '08	188 00
E Newton Brown	" " '09	273 00
Dr George E MacArthur	med attendance	127 60
Dr George E MacArthur	med inspection	5 00
Dr George E MacArthur	vaccinations	12 75
Dr George G Bailey	med attendance	46 25
Brainard J Conley	medicinal supplies	45 00
John A Blake	" "	12 00
E F Brown & Co	" "	2 50
W N Prescott	" "	1 35
Chronicle Pub Co	printing '08	34 50
Chronicle Pub Co	" '09	54 00
George H W Hayes	legal services	43 00
Chester W Bamford	clerk's salary	50 00
City of Boston	contagious case	42 86
Charles & Frank Mallard	distributing regulations	11 00
D A Grady	team	10 00
Ipswich Post Office	stamped envelopes	10 62
Gustavus Kinsman	rent contagious case	10 00
Aug H Peatfield	fuel " "	4 35
C Edward Lord	milk " "	2 66
Justin Whittier	labor	5 00
Henry A Pickard	signs	6 72
Henry Shaw, M D	copy settlement laws	3 18
Edgar Whittier	labor & team	3 00
Frank T Goodhue	supplies	1 95

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS	
Amelia Clark	stenographer	\$ 2 00	
John S Glover	lime	2 25	
American Express Co		1 65	
A P Hills Co	supplies	1 45	
J Albert Norwood	burying dog	1 00	
Charles G Brown	“ “	1 00	
Chester W Bamford	telephone	20	
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		\$1545 93	
DR.	SUMMARY.	CR.	
To appropriation	\$1200 00	By bills paid	\$1545 93
To “	300 00		
To cash, burying dog	1 00		
To cash, city of Lowell	36 50		
To receipts	8 43		
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	\$1545 93		\$1545 93

The Board appointed an agent and sanitary inspector, a clerk and two distributors of antitoxine, culture tubes and sputum cups: also an inspector of meats. The latter official the Board is obliged to appoint under the statutes. There are other officials, such as an inspector of plumbing and an inspector of milk, that the Board MAY appoint, but is not obliged to do so. This Board has not appointed the last two named officials for the obvious reason that it would mean more cost in salaries. The Board has full power under the statutes and its own rules and regulations to properly control the production and sale of milk, and has placed that matter in the hands of its sanitary inspector, as his report will show.

The Board has held two public hearings, twenty-six regular meetings, and six special meetings. It has granted the following licenses and permits:

Undertakers' licenses	3
Slaughter houses licenses	2
Licenses to slaughter swine	7
Licenses to keep swine	42
Burial permits issued	91
Removal permits issued	6

The Board would ask that the sum of \$1500, the amount appropriated for 1909, be appropriated for the expenses of the department for the year of 1910.

Respectfully submitted,

Geo. E. MacArthur,	}	Board of Health
Maynard Whittier,		
Levi W. Mallard,		

Ipswich, Jan. 18, 1910.

AGENT'S REPORT.

To the Board of Health, Ipswich ;

I submit herewith my report as agent and Sanitary inspector for the year 1909.

Number of barber shops inspected, seven.

One Pole barber shop, Estes St. in fair shape.

One Greek barber shop, Market St. in fair shape.

" Greek " " Market St. " "

Thomas Seahill, Market St. good shape.

O. H. Ewing, Central St. " "

John Fannon, Market Sq. " "

Anson Clark, North Main St " "

A good deal of improvement for the past year.

The Milk Question.

I have inspected the milk farms in Rowley, Ipswich Village and Ipswich, some seventy in number, all three times and part of them four times by order of the State Board of Health. We have some fine barns and herds of cows, and some dirty ones. The barns have improved quite a little since last year. We have not money to do many things that we ought to do.

Ice Cream Places ; where they make ; what they buy and what they sell : fourteen places.

1. Louis Lapropolos, Union St. Greek, makes his ice cream and sold the same wholesale and retail. Had to close him up and stop him making ice cream because his place was not clean.

2. Russell's Cafe, Dept Sq. Clean and all right. Get their ice cream from the Dirigo Ice Cream Co. Beverly.

3. Greek on Saltonstall St. Made him clean up and keep his place clean. Wholesale and retail.

4. E. F. Brown, Apothecary, Market St. sells ice cream and sells ice cream at soda fountain. Gets his ice cream from Lawrence, Mass. Good shape.

5. F. F. Byron, Market St. sells ice cream at wholesale and retail. Gets his ice cream from the Dirigo Ice Cream Co. Beverly. In good shape.

6. Geo. Allison, Apothecary, Market St. sells ice cream wholesale and retail and at soda fountain. Gets his ice cream from Rowley. Fred Marr's ice cream works are in good shape. Allison's store and soda fountain are in good shape.

7. Mr. Averoff, Market St. sells ice cream. Greek. Gets his ice cream from Greek on Saltonstall St. In fair shape.

8. B. J. Conley, Central St. Apothecary, sells ice cream from soda fountain and retail by the plate. In good shape.

9. D. E. Measures, Central St. deals in ice cream, wholesale and retail and makes his ice cream under his store and has got things in good shape.

10. Jas. Christopher & Co., one place on Central St. and one place in Market Sq., buys his ice cream from Greek dealer on Saltonstall St. In fair shape.

11. Mrs. J. C. Stone, Market Sq. gets her ice cream from Beverly Ice Cream Co. In good shape.

12. J. A. Blake, Apothecary, Town Hill, gets his ice cream from Dirigo Co. Beverly. Good shape.

13. W. N. Prescott, Market Sq. Apothecary, gets his ice cream from Lawrence, Mass. Good shape.

14. Mr. Rutherford, High St. sells ice cream from wagon in Ipswich. Buys his ice cream from the Dirigo Ice Cream Co. Beverly.

Most of the other small dealers buy their ice cream from the Dirigo Ice Cream Co. Beverly. I have looked after these places and they have kept clean this summer.

Rubbish, Paper and Swill.

We have had a great deal carted off. We have had hogs and

calves thrown into the river and on the dump, and have taken care and kept as clean as we could but not in the shape that I wish it might be done.

The Ipswich Mills Co. have made many improvements last year, painting their houses and repairing them; have cleaned most of their old out-houses and made modern out-houses with concrete vaults at a large expense. Inside of the Mills have put modern urinals and closets as good as the best. Have cleaned out drains, privies etc. If some of the landlords would take notice of the Ipswich Mills improvements it would make things better.

Bake Houses.

In better shape than they were last year, but there must be more improvements this year or we will have to close some of them.

Mr. Welch, Mr. Lange, Mr. Rogers and the French baker on Central street all have well ventilated, clean and sanitary places. The other five places are not up to the standard of these four.

Number of houses quarantined	16
Number of houses disinfected	21
Number of schoolhouses disinfected.....	5
Number of rooms disinfected.....	90
Number of notices posted forbidding throwing rubbish, etc	109
Number of sanitary inspections on complaints and otherwise	300
Number of danger cards put up	16

Amounts of money received for taking care of Farley Brook and amounts of money expended for the same:

Received of

F L Burke & Son	\$ 12
A P Hills	3
T J Broderick & Co	10
A C Damon.....	5
Wm Mayes & Co.....	5
E F Brown	4
C F Chapman.....	4
Geo E Farley for Manning Trustees....	5

A Kinsman.....	15
Dr McGinley	5
Wm Chaplin.....	5
H K Damon, house	2
H K Damon, Damon Block	10
Chas W Brown for Ipswich Gas Co	5
Estate of A H Spiller	4
John Fannon	2
Jas Averoff.....	5
Louis H Bixby.....	7
Brown Hosiery Mills	10
A J Barton	2
Eben Moulton	4
Wm J Riley	2
Mr Duguay, French Block.....	5
Mrs Scahill, Franklin House.....	5
John W Goodhue	5
Boston & Maine R R Co.....	10
O C Willcomb	5
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	\$ 156

EXPENDITURES,

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
John Merrill	labor	\$ 29 00
John Sturk	"	65 13
Maynard Whittier	reimbursed for money	
	paid for labor in '08	20 61
Maynard Whittier	labor 1909	90 87
Safford Bros	lime	2 70
M W Chadbourne	painting signs	3 30
J W Goodhue	tools	5 00
Henry A Pickard	making signs	6 60
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Total bills paid		\$223 21
Due Maynard Whittier for bills paid		67 21

Enough money has been promised to balance this account.
Vouchers for the bills paid have been filed with the Board.

Respectfully submitted,

Maynard Whittier,

Agent and Sanitary Inspector.

REPORT OF THE INSPECTOR OF MEATS.

To the Board of Health of Ipswich;
Gentlemen:

I submit the following report of the work done by me as
Inspector of Meats for the year 1909.

Whole number of animals inspected for W O Conant

Cattle	287
Calves	407
Sheep	6
Hogs	84

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For Frank Sanborn	hogs	48
For Howard Jewett	"	18
For Geo Gwinn	"	17
For Walter Gould	"	7
For Fred Sheppard	"	9
For Wm Cameron	"	2
For R W Bolles	"	6
For R W Bolles	calves	15

Total number of animals inspected 906

Respectfully submitted,

E. Newton Brown,

Inspector of Meats.

January 15th, 1910.

TOWN HALL.

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
A S Garland	janitor	\$ 554 36
A H Walton	labor	15 50
F T Goodhue	supplies	3 40
J H Lakeman	labor	3 99
C C Caldwell	coal	138 83
John S Glover	"	92 85
Mallard & Harris	express	1 50
Henry Bushek	boiler inspection	2 00
C S Tyler	clocks	5 50
Frank R Schaller	tuning piano	8 75
Geo G Dexter	supplies	50
J W Goodhue	"	16 92
E Lt Dept	light	196 02
Water Dept	water	10 41
A C Damon	supplies	10 10
T B Fall & Son	coal	117 34
A H Plouff	labor	3 00
W E Lord	supplies	1 75
Geo E Ward & Son	"	6 42
Wm H Hill	repairs on hall	46 25
N Archer	" "	38 75
T F Cogswell & Co	" "	1 15
S F Canney	" "	73 44
Aaron Lord	" "	42 50

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
Wm H Rand	supplies & labor	\$ 16 08
Ipswich Gas Light Co	light	18 60
H A Pickard	labor	4 20
Standard Oil Co	oil	3 50
E L Rowe & Son	supplies	4 00
John A Brown	"	6 00
American Ex Co	express	50
Jackson's Ex Co	"	40
		<u>\$1444 51</u>

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SUMMARY.

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To cash rent of hall	\$ 316 50	By bills paid	\$1242 42
To cash rent court		By bills paid repairs	
room	300 00	on hall	202 09
To cash from receipts	828 01		
	<u>\$1444 51</u>		<u>\$1444 51</u>

PARKS.

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
A G Lauer	repairs lawn mower	\$ 2 00
Fred Buzzell	labor	41 35
Jere Sullivan	"	119 17
F T Goodhue	supplies	22 46
Philip Kimball	"	10 00
Lathrop Bros	labor	6 25
Wm E Reilly	"	7 15
Geo E Ward & Son	supplies	55 45
A I Savory	"	1 60
Edw Darling	"	2 00
J W Goodhue	"	6 60
James A Morey	labor	24 34
Herbert Witham	"	2 00
Jos Breck & Son	supplies	46 30
A H Plouff	labor	70
Wm H Kirk	"	1 25
Water Dept	water	8 00
		\$ 356 62

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SUMMARY.

CR.

To appropriation	\$350 00	By bills paid	\$356 62
To cash from receipts	6 62		
	\$356 62		\$356 62

TREE WARDEN.

JAMES A. MOREY, Superintendent.

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
John Floyd	labor	\$ 47 50
Fred Buzzell	"	35 60
James A Morey	"	76 60
Allan Brown	"	44 64
John Cronin	"	24 00
J W Goodhue	supplies	70 76
Frost Insecticide Co	"	45 65
D A Grady	teams	26 00
John Minnehan	labor	15 30
Edmund Ready	"	2 00
T F Cogswell & Co	supplies	2 23
James B Scott	labor	1 35
Patrick Donlon	"	4 00
C C Caldwell	"	8 50
John Durand	"	1 25
Herbert Whittier	"	2 00
		\$ 407 38

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SUMMARY.

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To appropriation	\$400 00	By bills paid	\$407 38
To cash from receipts	7 38		
	\$407 38		\$407 38

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
James Sheppard	labor	\$ 1 00
Ipswich Mills Co	chemicals	50 63
N J Bolles	supplies	1 60
A H Plouff	labor and supplies	29 33
Geo W Brown	janitor	100 00
Klean Sweep Co	supplies	2 00
C C Caldwell	coal	99 92
C Callahan Co	hose and supplies	363 61
John S Glover	coal	82 63
G H W Hayes	legal papers	5 00
C F Chapman	labor and supplies	14 25
Henry Bushek	boiler inspection	2 00
B J Conley	supplies	75
Jackson Ex Co	express	1 65
J A Blake	supplies	2 70
Thos P Thomas	concreting	84 00
A J Barton	cash expended	5 50
Electric Light Dept	care fire alarm	100 00
Electric Light Dept	light	91 20
Electric Light Dept	rebuilding line, repairs on line and material	158 38
C L Stevens & Co	repairs	1 00
Edw H Smith	steward	26 75
W B Richards	use of horse	100 00
Water Dept	water	8 00

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
Jos A King	labor	\$ 14 85
Torrent Engine Co	salaries	310 00
J W Goodhue	supplies	18 92
J E Norman	fireman	10 00
Engineers Fire Dept	salaries	115 00
Hose 1 Co	"	330 00
Hose 2 Co	"	237 50
Frank M Burke	use of horses	50 00
Gen Sutton H & L Co	salaries	350 00
F T Goodhue	supplies	1 30
James Graffum	repairs	12 25
N E Tel & Tel Co	telephones	48 04
Walter F Poole	janitor	202 00
Arthur C Gray	labor	6 12
Alonzo L Brown	"	4 80
John A Hoey	"	4 25
S F Canney	lumber	6 85
M W Chadbourne	painting	70 50
J B Mitchell	cleaning vaults	3 00
Wm H Hills	labor	3 75
B W Woodward	labor and material	42 20
Geo W Brown	labor	2 75
Silas Stone	"	25
John Sullivan	"	75
T B Fall & Son	coal	100 74
Jsmes King	salary	6 25
L E Willcomb	supplies	3 80
Wm H Rand	labor and supplies	14 55
A D Mallard	teaming	2 40
D A Grady	team	2 00
John S Glover	coal	40 37
Fred C Rust	salary	30 00
A C Damon	supplies	2 50
A P Hills Co	"	1 45
J E Came Co	"	20 00

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
R R Glasier	labor	\$ 4 00
H A Russell	repairs	23 75
J R Richards	"	6 15
Henry K Barnes	supplies	5 40
Harry Sheppard	salary	12 50
Western Union Tel Co	time clock	25 00
L Frederick Co	supplies	3 50
V E Rust	labor	75
Crowell Chemical Co	supplies	3 00
Chas Canney	labor	75
Fred A Carter	salary	15 00
Wm A Spiller	labor	25
Edward Smith	forest fires	2 00
Orin Leno	"	50
Rodney Bamford	"	75
J Burnes	"	25
M Jewett	"	25
A H Walton	"	25
Arthur Burnham	"	1 00
Geo Brown	"	25
J King	"	25
P Garrette	"	25
T R Lord	"	1 00
Henry Bowen	"	1 25
Walter Poole	"	1 00
J A Huckins	"	1 00
T Roberts	"	1 00
Arthur Gray	"	25
A J Barton	"	1 25
A D Mallard	"	25
Frank Scahill	"	1 50
Ray Dodge	"	1 25
W K Chapman	"	2 00
Spencer Gwinn	"	1 00
Wm Burnham	"	50

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
Geo Gwinn	forest fires	\$ 50
Silas Stone	"	1 25
Richard Glasier	"	50
Albert Wait	"	25
Albert Fairfield	"	50
W E Barton	"	25
John Hoey	"	25
V E Rust	"	25
Fred Carter	"	75
Chas Dort	"	25
Wm Soar	"	25
Robt Spencer	"	25
John Conley	"	25
B Conley	"	25
Jos Macrella	"	25
Walter Brooks	"	25
Everett Smith	"	1 00
T Pappas	"	75
N L Harris	"	25
Wm Hill	"	25
Geo E Hayes	"	25
Wm Noonan	"	25
James Morey	"	50
Walter Poole	watching fire	2 00
Albert Sheppard	"	2 00
A H Walton	"	2 00
Thos H Lord	supplies	10 52
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		\$3546 11
DR.	SUMMARY.	CR.

To appropriation	\$3250 00	By bill's paid	\$3546 11
To cash sale junk	4 60		
To cash rebate	1 85		
To cash from receipts	289 66		
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	\$3546 11		\$3546 11

MOTH SUPPRESSION.

JAMES A. MOREY, Superintendent.

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
James Morey	team & labor	\$ 811 00
John Floyd	labor	415 82
John Cronin	"	293 16
John Singer	"	144 80
Edw Davis	"	52 18
Fred Buzzell	"	201 14
Irwin Manzer	"	191 46
Wm Wallace	"	13 10
Wm Noonan	"	47 08
John Minnehan	"	278 56
Albion Spyut	"	56 86
Clarence Dupray	"	14 00
John Hayes	"	18 22
Eugene Girard	"	143 72
Herbert Witham	"	16 00
M C Goodhue	"	12 75
Allan W Brown	"	46 44
Geo Goodhue	"	60 44
Jesse Fowler	"	31 50
Patrick Donlon	"	8 00
John Howard	"	51 68
Wm Garrette	"	44 74
John McLaughlin	"	12 00
D A Grady	team	150 00
J W Goodhue	supplies	114 63
G H W Hayes	advice	2 25
Wm G Horton	supplies	30 40
F T Goodhue	supplies	4 44

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
W E Dupray	insurance	\$ 50 00
A D Mallard	teaming	5 82
Wm A Spiller	repairs	4 50
H E Sturgis	oil	6 00
Frost Insecticide Co	supplies	92 00
S F Canney	lumber	1 89
Smith & Thayer	supplies	30 75
Jackson's Ex	express	90
American Ex	"	3 12
A H Richardson	burlap	43 77
Post Master Wait	stamps	13 37
E R Smith	supplies	1 40
J N Crowe	ladder	6 18
A I Savory	supplies	13 85
A W Chesterton & Co	"	9 00
G A Schofield	printing	9 75
A H Plouff	supplies	2 50
C W Bamford	labor	3 00
Jos King	"	4 50
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		\$3568 67

DR.

SUMMARY.

CR.

To app to Dec 1 '09	\$1744 32	By Dec bills '08	\$ 388 66
To cash from State	1256 09	By bills for '09	3568 67
To cash due from state	73 64		
To cash from private work	391 46		
To cash due from pri- vate work	179 55		
To app '10 Dec work	312 27		
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	\$3957 33		\$3957 33

CURRENT EXPENSE.

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
Walter Sheppard	ringing bell	\$ 33 28
Cash Div Co	oil	2 34
Geo H W Hayes	legal fees	105 85
Mallard & Harris	teaming	2 60
J F Pope & Son	lumber	5 99
Geo G Dexter	court photographs	15 75
Cogswell & Safford, agt	insurance	101 25
G A Schofield, agt	"	101 25
Amelia M Clarke	stenographer	5 00
Ebin R Smith	supplies	5 87
Harold Poor	delivering reports	3 00
Wm Maden	"	3 00
James Doyle	"	3 00
Chas L Rust	"	3 00
Jacksons Ex	express	8 60
L Wait, P M	stamped envelopes	88 21
J A Blake	supplies	12 20
Thorp & Martin	blanks	3 50
Com. of Mass	counting boards	10 00

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
American Ex Co	express	\$ 5 56
A S Garland	meals for prisoners	34 70
Essex Book Bindery	binding reports	37 00
J H Lakeman	painting	27 63
Rodney C Bamford	labor	2 00
James Damon	cash paid out	2 70
Adams, Cushing & Foster	books	36 10
G A Barker	insurance	146 60
P B Murphy	printing	7 50
J W Goodhue	supplies	30 02
Chas W Brown	cash paid fares	13 63
J E Norman	labor	13 18
The Simple Acct Salesbook Co	books	9 75
Fred R Hull	printing	8 50
The Fairbanks Co	repairs scales	66 75
Water Dept	water	100 00
Hobbs & Warren Co	books	28 20
N E T & T Co	telephones	109 81
Safford Bros	cement	13 50
Edw Bodwell	labor	10 00
John F Ready	"	9 00
Frank Bodwell	"	10 00
Mrs Geo Gilmore	pension	300 00
Thos R Knight	repairing safe	8 10
D S Appleton	taking poll census	20 00
G H Mason Co	supplies	90
Ames Plow Co	waste boxes	11 40
Boston Ins Co	insurance	24 75
R R Glasier	taking poll census	20 00
J W Nourse	plans, etc	9 55
C F Chapman	supplies	2 28
A H Plouff	repairs	2 58
Elmer Smith	repairs to float	60
A I Savory	supplies	1 30
John E Dodge	ringing bell	20 80
M C McGinley, M D	medical aid	2 50

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
Chas Jewett	cleaning vault	\$ 2 00
John Harris	care buoys	38 00
John F Wippich	care clock	25 00
W N Prescott	supplies	2 30
Chester W Bamford	labor	6 55
John A Brown	poles	5 00
G A Schofield	cash paid out	13 60
B & M R R	mileage book	10 00
Geo E MacArthur	physician	1 25
Wm E Reilly	labor	3 08
P E Clarke	"	35 75
Jere Sullivan	"	19 96
Chas G Hull	printing	3 75
Horace E Barker	express	1 75
W & L E Gurley	sealers supplies	9 80
S F Canney	lumber	2 25
Electric Lt Dept	supplies	5 60
Malden Specialty Co	sealers supplies	3 50
A E Martell Co	"	4 00
D A Grady	teams	18 00
A Storrs & Bement	cover stock	4 49
American Ins Co	insurance	112 50
H A Russell	meals	14 50
Lilla D Stott	assessors reports	25 20
W B Atkinson	cash paid	10 10
James H Hull	painting	1 00
Alonzo L Brown	care buoys	142 40
W B Richards	assessors polls	20 00
Alden P White	legal opinion	25 00
B W Woodward	repairs scales	72 83
Carter Ink Co	ink	2 20
Chronicle Pub Co	printing for assessors	17 50
" "	" sealer	6 75
" "	" town clerk	25 50
" "	" registrars	4 00
" "	" treasurer	21 75

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
Chronicle Pub Co	printing town reports	\$ 153 00
“ “	“ for selectmen	36 45
P E Clarke	storage	8 75
Wm B Richards	team and ex	11 50
Gertrude Doyle	finance com expense	5 00
Alice M Smith	“ “	22 60
Chas A Olson	“ “	1 00
Chronicle Pub Co	“ “	4 14
Luther Wait	“ “	6 76
Total		\$2626 64

JULY FOURTH CELEBRATION.

Chas Grant	prize	\$ 5 00
Angel Pappas	“	3 00
Lionel Sheppard	“	2 00
Maynard Jewett	“	5 00
Joe Gallant	“	1 00
Thos Kalabokees	“	3 00
Peter Chaput	“	2 00
John Sperling	“	1 00
Harry Greenburg	“	5 00
Wilfred Marcorelle	“	3 00
Arthur Constantine	“	2 00
Benj Burns	“	15 00
Chester Goodwin	“	10 00
Herbert Goodwin	“	5 00
Geo P Wadley	“	10 00
Ned Jewett	“	5 00
Sylvanus B Elwell	“	10 00
Sam'l Bayley	“	5 00
Wm Black	“	2 00
Harold Poor	use of boat	5 00
N Fife & Drum Corps	music	15 00
Jeff Davis	children's entertainment	15 00
Burley School Drum Corps	music	15 00

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
National Fireworks Co	fireworks	\$ 100 00
E F Brown	soda checks	95
D E Measures	"	3 15
W N Prescott	"	35
J H Christopher	"	65
Ips Fife & Drum Corps	music	10 00
Horace E Barker	express	40
Ernest E Currier	supplies	90
H P Willcomb	team	2 00
Chronicle Pub Co	printing	2 00
Total		\$ 264 40

MEMORIAL DAY.

Gen James Appleton Post, No. 128, G. A. R.	\$ 230 00
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DR.	SUMMARY.		CR.
To current ex app	\$3000 00	By paid Current Ex	\$2626 64
To Memorial app	230 00	By paid Memorial Day	230 00
To July Fourth app	300 00	By paid July Fourth	264 40
To Soldiers' Headstones app	125 00	By balance	616 05
To cash from G A Scho- field, telephone	14 08		
To cash from G H W Hayes, telephone	16 06		
To cash from J A Brown telephone	21 45		
To cash due for Tel	30 50		
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	\$3737 09		\$3737 09

OUTSIDE POOR.

BILLS ALLOWED.

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
W F Gould	rent	\$ 72 00
Est Asa Lord	"	66 00
Ralph Grant	"	10 00
Mary A Clark	"	25 00
Mrs J F Caldwell	"	80 00
A D Kinsman	"	90 00
Agnes Rowe	"	72 00
Nellie W Augur	"	24 00
Est Fred Damon	"	78 00
Justin J Hull	"	54 00
James Damon	"	42 50
Grace F Bailey	"	54 00
John W Nourse	"	32 50
Mrs Virginia Stone	"	10 00
N Burnham	"	26 50
A P Hills	"	45 00

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
Thos H Lord	groceries	\$ 34 00
N Burnham	"	106 02
A P Hills	"	20 14
P P Kierce	"	138 19
Cash Div Co	"	181 00
Lord & Ross	"	15 00
W B Richards	"	73 50
Geo E Hayes	"	279 89
Geo Tourtas	"	3 00
Domeulo Divino	"	2 00
N J Rolles	"	149 15
F T Goodhue	"	159 00
Tougas & Tougas	"	39 50
R W Bolles	provisions	137 28
O B Kippin	"	4 09
A H Peatfield	fuel	252 27
J Surrette	"	4 00
J A Tucker	shoes	1 70
Chas G Spiller	clothing	24 40
N Newman	"	5 00
J A Blake	medicine	16 70
B J Conley	"	29 15
E R Smith	"	16 55
W N Prescott	"	50 15
Geo E MacArthur M D	physician	315 92
Chas E Ames M D	"	184 18
S A Pedrick M D	"	68 25
M C McGinley M D	"	149 25
W S Brainard, M. D.	physician	20 00
Geo G Bailey, M. D.	physician	31 50
Mrs Lewis Kneeland	board	79 50
Jennie C Haskell	"	117 00
Jos Roskowski	"	2 00
John S Speller	"	2 00
Luella B Jewett	nurse	8 00
Caroline Pickard	"	30 00
Edw Bodwell	"	9 00
Chas W Wait	"	32 00
Frances Surrette	"	25 00
Mrs Geo Low	"	10 00
Wm Goditt	"	2 00
Parker Murray	"	99 75
Wm Goodhue	"	19 50
City of Salem	hospital cases	179 00

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
Com of Mass	hospital cases	\$ 68 57
City of Newburyport	aid given	265 48
City of Beverly	"	116 68
City of Lynn	"	236 75
City of Haverhill	"	3 00
City of Lowell	"	17 50
Town of Rowley	"	59 38
Town of Essex	"	3 75
Town of Danvers	"	4 00
Geo Haskell	funeral	30 00
P E Clarke	"	42 00
G A Schofield	cash pd out	11 15
Horace Barker	teaming	2 50
D A Grady	"	3 00
Harpers Garage	transportation	20 00
Chronicle Pub Co	printing	7 00
Jackson's Ex	express	20
Eliza Banner	cash allowance	60 00
Martha Gwinn	"	96 00
Mary Moriarity	"	144 00
Mary Cate	"	96 00
Mrs Ann Davis	"	96 00
W B Richards	cash pd out	3 25
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		\$5293 24

Received from Towns and Cities, 1909 bills:

Com of Mass	\$ 144 90
City of Newburyport	70 10
City of Salem	249 33
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Total	\$ 464 33

Due from Towns and Cities for 1909 bills:

Town of Needham	\$203 25
Town of Salisbury	148 50
City of Newburyport	62 00
City of Salem	134 79
City of Beverly	49 65
Com of Mass	7 15
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	\$ 605 34

Total amount paid out 1909		\$ 5293 24
Less " received 1909 bills	\$ 464 33	
Less " due 1909 bills.....	605 34	
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Total cost outside poor 1909		<hr/> \$ 4223 57

DR.	SUMMARY.		CR.
To appropriation	\$2500 00	By bills paid	\$5293 24
To cash rec'd '09 bills	464 33		
To cash due '09 bills	605 34		
To cash from receipts	1723 57		
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	\$5293 24		\$5293 24

The following bills are due the Poor Dept. for former years :

From Town of Newbury	\$ 7 69
From Town of Topsfield	95 00
From Town of Hamilton.....	10 00
From Town of Boxford.....	1 18
From City of Beverly.....	64 20
From City of Gloucester.....	6 00
From City of Medford.....	2 50
From City of Fitchburg.....	16 00
From Commonwealth of Mass.....	111 28
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	\$ 313 85

During the year the following old bills have been paid :

Town of Needham.....	\$198 90
Town of Salisbury.....	112 70
City of Salem.....	183 52
City of Newburyport.....	96 75
Commonwealth of Mass.....	89 00
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	\$ 680 87

TOWN FARM.

BILLS ALLOWED.

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
Wm G Horton	grain	\$322 95
Geo B Brown	"	393 90
W B Richards	groceries	11 61
L E Willcomb	"	40 92
Tougas & Tougas	"	20 62
Albert S Hills Co	"	87 72
Cash Division	"	66 69
Thos H Lord	"	26 32
N J Bolles	"	58 02
F T Goodhue	"	36 80
Lord & Ross	"	54 13
O B Kippin	meat	40 60
Byron & Hubbard	"	6 63
A J McGinley	"	28 37
J H Humber	"	1 75
B S Crosby	"	6 61
W E Lord	dry goods	1 00
A F Tilton	clothing	2 00
Chas G Spiller	"	43 44
J A Tucker	shoes	75
T B Fall & Son	coal	22 59
C C Caldwell	"	40 67
V H Grant	fish	1 50
W S Atkinson	"	2 16
Total		\$1317 75

MISCELLANEOUS.

Osborn Conant	cow	\$11 40
Jere W Davidson	labor	80
C F Chapman	repairs and supplies	32 80
H M Purinton	repairs and supplies	23 93
J W Goodhue	supplies	41 41
N T Lowe	labor with teams	47 10
A H Plouff	supplies	5 35
John A Blake	medicine	11 75

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
Geo E Marsh	soap	\$ 3 50
Stephen Jewett	bull	25 00
Robt Robertson Co	repairs	13 70
O P Charles	cash paid out	73 93
V T Hawksworth	cow	37 00
D S Perley	difference on trade	125 00
M Whittier	supplies	1 50
Am Ins Co	insurance	37 50
Cogswell & Safford	"	38 00
Dupray Bros	labor	13 25
E R Smith	supplies	13 00
T F. Cogswell & Co	"	75
Boston Ins Co	insurance	37 50
C L Stevens & Co	repairs	10 85
Phineas A Dodge	sawing	1 50
W J Norwood	grinding	21 78
J R Richards	repairs	4 50
Jos A King	"	29 75
P E Clarke	funeral	43 00
SI Hudgens	planting corn	14 00
A C Damon	supplies	3 15
Irving Brown	sawing wood	16 00
Ernest F Lemay	repairs	3 02
Wm A Webber	repairs	14 00
Mrs H E Noyes	advertising	1 00
Alonzo L Brown	oil	4 50
W N Prescott	medicine	9 30
Chas Patch	cow	20 00
Total		\$ 790 52

LABOR.

O P Charles Supt.	\$ 600 00
Chas Lord	160 00
Harry Charles	304 00
Esther Baker	159 50
Otto L Charles	13 50
Henry Stiles	231 00
Mrs Eva Chase	19 00
John Dolan	29 00
Almer Spencer	42 00
Herbert Witham	23 25
Robert Turner	84 67
Wm Garrette	17 00

Chas Jones	\$102 00	
Arthur Pricken	48 00	
Clara Beck	16 00	
Austin O Foss	9 50	
	————	\$ 1858 42

NEW BARN.

Wm H Hills, labor.....	\$ 53 75	
Nathaniel Archer, labor.....	53 75	
Parker Murray, labor.....	25 38	
Aaron Lord, labor.....	53 75	
Wm B Richards, team	28 00	
S F Canney, lumber.....	92 92	
J W Goodhue, supplies.....	8 55	
Total.....	————	\$316 10

Total paid for supplies	\$1317 75	
“ miscellaneous.....	790 52	
“ farm help.....	1858 42	
“ new barn.....	316 10	
	————	\$4282 79
Total receipts for sales 1909.....	1977 40	
Bills due for sales 1909.....	881 45	
	————	2858 85
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Balance, expense of Farm 1909.....		\$1423 94

Number of inmates at Farm during year....	6
“ “ “ Jan. 1, 1910.....	4
Average cost per week for each inmate.....	\$4 56
This average includes the cost of new barn.	

DR.	SUMMARY.		CR
To appropriation	\$1000 00	By bills paid	\$4282 79
To sales at Farm '09	2858 85		
To bal. from receipts	423 94		
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	\$4282 79		\$4282 79

INVENTORY, STOCKS, TOOLS, ETC. AT TOWN FARM.

1910

1909

	NO.	VALUE	NO.	VALUE	GAIN	LOSS
Oxen.....	2	\$200			\$200	
Cows.....	25	750	30	\$900		\$150
Heifers.....	8	160	5	100	60	
Bulls.....	1	40	1	40		
Horses.....	5	500	4	500		
Fat Hogs.....	2	45	4	60		15
Pigs.....	1	5	6	24		19
Fowl.....	80	40	80	40		
Horse Wagons.....	4	70	4	70		
Horse Wagons.....	1	45	1	45		
Horse Carts.....	1	45	1	45		
Pung.....	1	10	1	10		
Ox Wagon.....	2	225	2	225		
Ox Cart.....	2	50	2	50		
Mowing Machines.....	2	50	2	50		
Plows.....	3	20	3	20		
Cultivators.....	2	5	1	5		
Horse Hoes.....	1	5	1	5		
Harrows.....	3	25	3	25		
Ox Sled.....	2	30	2	30		
Drag.....	1	5	1	5		
Wood, cords.....	10	50	20	100		50
Coal, tons.....	2	14	2	14		
Groceries.....		100		100		
Dairy Utensils.....		100		100		
Furniture and bedding . .		450		450		
Range and Fixtures.....		110		110		
Stoves and Furnaces.....		130		130		
Winnowing Mills.....	1	5	1	5		
Wheel Rake.....	2	25	2	25		
Tedders.....	1	35	1	35		
Tools.....		75		75		
Blocks and Ropes.....		5		5		
Harness.....	6	70	6	70		
Rack.....	1	10	1	10		
Windmill and Tank.....		200		200		
Potato Digger.....	1	10	1	10		
Scales.....		20		20		
Fire Extinguishers.....	5	15	5	15		
Wheelbarrows.....	1	3	1	3		
Lumber.....		125		250		125
Total		\$3877		\$3976	\$260	\$359

INVENTORY PRODUCE, ETC. AT TOWN FARM.

1910

1909

	NO.	VALUE	NO.	VALUE	GAIN	LOSS
Beans, bushels.....			4	\$ 12		12
Potatoes, ".....	200	\$160	115	109	51	
Roots, ".....	100	40	120	48		8
Apples, barrels.....	2	5	16	32		27
Pork, pounds.....	150	22	150	22		
Corn, bushels.....	450	337	262	196	141	
Butter, pounds.....	10	3	60	19		16
English hay, tons.....	32	726	55	1100		374
Salt hay, tons.....	36	420	64	576		156
Mulch.....	20	120	15	90	30	
Phosphate.....		10		10		
Grain.....		15		25		10
Total		\$1858		\$2239	222	603
Inventory, stock tools, etc		\$3877		\$3976	260	359
		\$5735		\$6215	482	962
				5735		482
				480		480

SUMMARY OF INCOME AND EXPENSES AT THE TOWN FARM FOR THE
YEARS 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909.

	1905	1906	1907	1908	1909
Expenditures	\$4,188.50	\$4,256.13	\$3,971.86	\$4,047.93	\$4,282.79
Income	2,546.62	3,097.73	3,058.23	2,984.78	2,858.85
Total Expense	1,641.88	1,158.40	913.63	1,063.20	1,423.94

TREASURER'S REPORT.

CHARLES W. BAMFORD, TREASURER AND COLLECTOR, IN
ACCOUNT WITH THE TOWN OF IPSWICH
DR.

To cash on hand Jan. '09	\$ 4505 95
To amounts received,	
Taxes 1909	\$ 63507 70
" 1908	10885 82
" 1907	1261 28
" 1906	134 32
" 1905	18 65
" 1904	4 72
" 1903	17
Interest on taxes	703 14
Notes, anticipation of taxes, '09	40000 00
" " " '10	1914 70
Water Dept., temporary loan	3333 00
Electric Light Dept., temporary loan	1700 00
Interest on deposits	178 81
" " prepayment of note	13 15
Sales from Farm, 1909	1977 40
" " 1908	479 04
Rent of Town Hall	225 75
" Court Rooms, Essex County	300 00
Essex County, dog licenses	313 52
Labor, Moth Dept. 1909	392 96
" " " old accounts	26 85
Edgestones and concrete, old account	45 30
School Department, transportation	337 50
Town of Rowley, tuition	632 00
Town of Hamilton, tuition	30 00
Helen Varnum, Essex, tuition	25 00
City of Salem, Poor account, 1909	249 33
" " " 1908	183 52
" Newburyport, Poor account, 1909	70 10
" " " 1908	96 75
Town of Salisbury, Poor account, 1908	112 70
" Needham, " " 1908	198 90
City of Lowell, contagious disease case	36 50

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Liquor licenses.....	\$ 6705 00
Billiard, pool, bowling licenses.....	32 00
Junk licenses	26 00
Auctioneer's licenses	6 00
Slaughter house licenses.....	2 00
Circus licenses	15 00
State of Mass. Corporation tax, 1908.....	1038 70
“ “ “ 1909	5378 58
“ National Bank tax, 1908.....	17 21
“ “ 1909	381 41
“ Poor account & temporary aid.....	233 90
“ State Aid.....	3142 00
“ Military Aid	36 00
“ Burial of indigent Soldiers and Sailors	111 00
“ Street Railway tax	1595 23
“ Moth Suppression	1256 09
“ Motor vehicle fund	3 69
Boston & Northern St. R. R., excise tax.....	1367 94
Charles A Sayward, criminal fines.....	355 56
Howard G Lane, criminal fines.....	20 00
William A Stone, town scales.....	119 91
Electric Light Dept, board of horse	177 84
Cemetery lots.....	218 00
Telephone accounts	51 59
Street sprinkling, '05 & '06	4 98
“ “ '07 & '08	11 52
Fumigations.....	10 00
Insurance dividends	18 96
Class '09, M H S	29 58
Use of Road Roller	12 00
Refunds	122 06
“Oleo” registration	50
Voting lists	1 50
Sale of junk	4 60
“ gravel.....	4 00
Rent of Warren engine house.....	5 00
George Cogswell, burying dog	1 00
Sale of school books	6 90
Use of telephone	10
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	\$156417 88

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By paid:	
State aid....	\$ 3040 00
Military aid	72 00
Jose, Parker & Co, tax notes 1908.....	18000 00
Jose, Parker & Co, tax notes 1909.....	25000 00
State of Mass, Burley School note	1000 00
Somerville Co-operative Bank, Fire Sta. note.	1000 00
Ipswich Savings Bank, Union street note.....	1000 00
Ipswich Savings Bank, Heating plant note....	500 00
Benjamin D Appleton, note	725 00
Mary P Adams, note.....	200 00
Mary P and Sarah Adams, note.....	315 00
Interest on notes	3066 97
Department orders	66351 63
Water Department, temporary loan.....	3333 00
Electric Light Department, temporary loan..	1700 00
Water Department, sinking fund .	3656 61
Water Department, hydrants.....	1836 00
Electric Light Department, appropriations	
Maintenance	1500 00
Depreciation	1290 00
Interest	1800 00
Note.....	500 00
State of Mass	
State tax	5670 00
National Bank tax	599 38
Grade Crossing tax	1250 00
Interest, Grade Crossing loan.....	100 00
Liquor licenses	1676 25
Repairs to highways	42 30
Essex County, county tax	6646 69
Refund	9 25
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	\$151880 08
To cash on hand Jan. 1, 1910.....	4537 80
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	\$156417 88

AUDITOR'S REPORT OF TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

This is to certify that I have examined the accounts of the Treasurer and found them to be correct; and I find the balance in the hands of the Treasurer to agree with the balance as stated above.

I have also made a careful examination of the note indebtedness of the Town and have seen and checked the notes paid by the Treasurer for the year 1909 and find them to agree with his statement.

ARTHUR H. WALTON, Auditor.

February 1, 1910.

TABLE SHOWING UNCOLLECTED TAXES.

Year assessed.	Uncollected Jan. 1, 1909	Collected in 1909	Abated	Uncollected Jan 1910
1901	\$ 7 22			\$7 22
1902	8 60			8 60
1903	17 51	17	\$2 00	15 34
1904	25 11	4 72	6 00	14 39
1905	81 18	18 65	10 33	52 20
1906	223 40	134 32	46 76	42 32
1907	1862 16	1261 28	283 62	317 26
1908	*17194 65	10885 82	312 61	5996 22
1909	†79013 98	63507 70	51 80	15454 48
Totals	\$98433 81	\$75812 66	\$713 12	\$21908 03

*Last year's statement showed \$14532.96, there is added by additional assessment, made in Dec. '08, the sum of \$2661.69. Of this amount, there has been collected \$786.84. The balance is being disputed; one tax of \$31.05 and a tax of \$1800. on the John B. Brown estate. This later tax is being contested in the court. There is also a tax of \$1600. on the same property, for '09 unpaid, awaiting the decision on the first case. These two taxes and the amount assessed on the Public Library and Trustees of the Manning Fund, account for over \$5000 of the total uncollected taxes.

†The Collector's warrant called for \$78951.98; there was an additional assessment of \$62.00 made after the warrant was delivered.

TABLE SHOWING RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF DEPARTMENTS
FOR THE YEAR 1909.

DEPARTMENT	Appropriations 1909	1908 Balance and Income 1909	Total Cash	Total Expended 1909	Balance on Jan. 1, 1910	Deficiency paid from Treasury
Fire Department.....	\$ 3250 00	\$ 6 45	\$ 3256 45	\$ 3546 11		\$ 289 66
Fees and Salaries.	4500 00		4500 00	5467 70		967 70
Current Expenses.....	3655 00	82 09	3737 09	3121 04	\$ 616 05	
Board of Health.....	1500 00	37 50	1537 50	1545 93		8 43
Tree Warden	400 00		400 00	407 38		7 38
Cemeteries	1800 00		1800 00	1763 00	37 00	
Parks	350 00		350 00	356 62		6 62
Soldiers' Relief		37 00	37 00	973 19		936 19
Town Hall.....		616 50	616 50	1444 51		828 01
Outside Poor.....	2500 00	1069 67	3569 67	5293 24		1723 57
Town Farm.....	1000 00	2858 85	3858 85	4282 79		423 94
Highways & Snow....	10000 00	4903 39	14903 39	14526 46	366 93	
Moths	1667 93	1900 74	3568 67	3568 67		

STATE AND MILITARY AID.

COMMONWEALTH.

DR.

To amt due for state aid Jan. 1, 1909.....	\$ 3142 00	
“ “ military aid, Jan. 1, 1909	36 00	
“ “ paid for state aid in 1909.....	3040 00	
“ “ “ military aid in 1909..	36 00	
		\$ 6254 00

CR.

By cash received for state aid for 1909	\$ 3142 00	
“ “ military aid for 1909	36 00	
By amt due for state aid to Jan. 1, '10.....	3040 00	
“ “ military aid to Jan. 1, '10	36 00	
		\$ 6254 00

DEBT STATEMENT.

TOWN OF IPSWICH.

DR.

To notes payable (excluding Water and Light notes)	\$59539 70	
To orders drawn and not paid (excluding Water and Light notes)	1758 74	
		\$61298 44

CR.

By cash in Treasurer's hands Jan 1, '10.....	\$ 4537 80	
By '09 bills due Farm	881 45	
By old “ “	371 02	
Uncollected Taxes	21908 03	
Amt due Town from state aid	3040 00	
“ for military aid	36 00	
“ for burial of soldiers	74 00	
“ “ highway work.....	207 70	
“ on Poor acct. '09.....	605 34	
“ “ old bills.....	313 85	
“ corporation tax '09.....	595 52	
“ street sprinkling	542 78	
“ moth tax	414 77	
“ Board of Health bills.....	105 00	\$33633 26

Town debt exclusive of Water & Electric Light.... \$27665 18

ASSESSORS' REPORT.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1909.

APPROPRIATIONS ASSESSED.

For High and Common Schools	\$20000 00	✓
Highways	8000 00	✓
Edgestones and Concrete.....	500 00	✓
Current Expenses.....	3000 00	✓
Fees and Salaries	4500 00	✓
Fire Department.....	3250 00	✓
Poor Account.....	2500 00	✓
Farm Account.....	1000 00	✓
Note Payments	5212 50	✓
Sinking Fund [water account]	3656 61	✓
Hydrant Service	1836 00	✓
Memorial Day	230 00	✓
Interest on Town Notes	4866 00	✓
School Physician.....	150 00	✓
Abatements	500 00	✓
Care of Cemeteries.....	1800 00	✓
Care of Parks.....	350 00	✓
Tree Warden	400 00	✓
Board of Health	1200 00	✓
Moth Suppression '09.....	1744 32	✓
Electric Depreciation.....	1290 00	✓
Electric Maintenance.....	1500 00	✓
Grave Markers.....	125 00	✓
Highway Dept sheds	1500 00	✓
Independence Day	300 00	✓
Manning Trustees.....	720 00	✓
	—————\$ 70130 43	

Town appropriation	\$ 70130 43	
State Taxes	7062 30	
County Tax	6646 69	
Bank Tax	563 04	
Total to raise		\$ 84402 46
Less receipts [estimated]	5450 48	
Total assessed		\$ 78951 98
Divided as follows:		
Amount raised on Polls	2364 00	
Amount raised on Personal Property	22425 77	
Amount raised on Real Estate	54162 21	
Total		\$ 78951 98

Number of Polls 1182
Tax on Poll \$2.00
Rate of Taxation, \$16.00 per thousand.

	1908	1909
Valuation of Personal Estate	\$ 1,243,278.	\$ 1,401,611.
Valuation of Real Estate	3,111,383.	3,385,138.
Valuation Total	\$ 4,354,661.	\$ 4,786,749.

Total number of persons assessed	1903
Number assessed on property	1251
Number assessed poll tax only	652

Valuation of buildings	\$ 2,324,853.
Valuation of land	1,060,285.

Number of horses and jacks	assessed	625
Number of cows	"	622
Number of neat cattle other than cows	"	145
Number of sheep	"	75
Number of swine	"	146
Number of fowl	"	6640
Number of dwelling houses	"	1165
Number of acres of land	"	16834

The amount raised by taxation in 1908 was.....	\$80741	91
“ “ “ “ “ “ 1909 “	78951	98

Decrease in 1909.....	\$1789	93
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	1909	1908
Town appropriation	\$70130 43	\$66825 26
State tax.....	7625 34	8341 94
County tax.....	6646 69	5837 34
Totals,	\$84,402 46	\$81,004 54

The above table shows that while the amount called for in the year 1909 was \$3397 92 more than in 1908, the total actually raised by taxation was \$1789 93 less. This amount was raised at the rate of \$16.00 on \$1000., a reduction of two dollars in the rate from that of the previous year. This reduction was made possible by the increased revenue and the new property.

The work of the Chairman of the Assessors at the state house resulted in discovering \$595.52 which should have been allowed to Ipswich on Corporation tax. Claims was made for it and the claim has been proven and allowed. By the Town treasurer's statement it will be seen that the claim made last year for \$1025.00 was paid, in fact there was \$1038.60 paid to the town.

Last year, we recommended direct appropriations for each department. No action was taken on that recommendation. We renew it this year.

We are pleased to point out the unusually large balance in favor of the town this year, it being \$14,960.35 as against \$8.861.67 last year. Unless there are extraordinary appropriations or a serious loss of revenue the rate should be further reduced this year.

Respectfully submitted.

George A. Schofield,	} Assessors of Ipswich.
William B. Richards,	
Richard R. Glasier,	

Ipswich, Jan. 1, 1910.

OVERSEERS OF POOR REPORT.

To the Citizens of Ipswich,
Gentlemen:

The detailed statement of receipts and expenditures, published elsewhere in this report, gives the facts as to the financial transactions in this department. We were obliged to meet an unusual expense at the farm this year, as the old barn, which has for years been in poor condition, collapsed during a gale. This necessitated the erection of a new building, at a cost of \$316.10, most of which was paid for labor as the old lumber was utilized.

In common with all farms in this vicinity, there was a heavy reduction in the hay crop and a loss in the receipts from that source.

We have repeatedly called attention to what we believe to be for the best interest of the town, and that is a serious consideration of the question of selling the Farm. We renew that suggestion. Taking everything into consideration the farm has been fairly successful this year, but at best it is doubtful if present conditions warrant the Town in continuing to hold it.

Unusually heavy bills for unfortunate cases where there are whole families to care for, as well as increased expenses for sick cases, have made the expenditures in this department larger than those of last year. As often stated, it is a department where help must be given where needed, and it is impossible to gauge the expenses. It often happens that well meaning people criticise the Overseers for not doing enough for the poor, and that others get indignant at them for giving so much. Lack of information as to facts is the cause for criticism in both cases. It's not an easy or desirable position, and the Overseers do what seems to them to be necessary and best, and take the "kicks."

The report of Dr. MacArthur, shows that under his contract with this department he has made the following visits:

January	51	February	57	March	60
April	74	May	91	June	68
July	39	August	62	September	61
October	95	November	62	December	61

A total of 804 visits. The price for the class of visits included in the contract is \$200. a year, about 25 cents a visit.

Respectfully submitted,

Geo. A. Schofield,
Wm. B. Richards,
John G. Sperling,

} Overseers
of
} Poor.

Ipswich, Jan. 1, 1910.

SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

To the citizens of Ipswich :

Gentlemen :

An examination of the Debt Statement of the Treasurer will show that the Town has had a very successful year. The following table will show the standing of the Town for the year, excluding the Water and Electric Light Departments which have special reports :

CR.	
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1910.....	\$ 4537 80
Amount due town for taxes, bills, etc	29095 46
	\$33,633 26
DR.	
Unpaid tax notes	\$16914 17
Unpaid orders on books.....	1758 74
	\$18,672 91
Balance in favor of the Town	
	\$14,960 35

In making up this table, the old notes issued for special purposes are not included as they are not a part of the business transaction of the year. We are pleased to point out that this balance in favor of the Town is \$14960 35 as against \$8861 67 for last year, a gain of over \$6000. We feel that we are justified in saying that the showing is a creditable one, and that it indicates that your officials have been faithful in your service.

The table showing the entire note indebtedness of the town is published on another page.

Superintendent of Streets Joseph A. Huckins, who was recommended for that position by a special committee two years ago, has been continued in that office and has done a large amount of good work. Following is his report to the selectmen :

Honorable Board of Selectmen,
Gentlemen:

I beg to submit the following report for the year 1909.

Team No. 1 worked 2404 hours (actual working time) on the highways, which at 50 cts. an hour. means that the team earned \$1202. The team should also have credit for \$150. from the Fire Department.

Team No. 2 worked 157 hours on the highway (at 50 cts. an hour) \$78.50 ; 789 hours for school department \$375.00 ; and 742 hours street sprinkling, \$371.00 ; a total of \$824.50. This team is also to be credited with \$150. from Fire Department. This team did not make so good a showing as usual as the horses were sick in the early part of the year.

Team No. 3 purchased in July, worked 1119 hours on the highway from July 16 to Jan. 1, earning \$559.50, and should be credited with \$50 for Fire Department work, as they took the place of Mr. Burkes horses at the Station.

2344 loads of water, 600 gallans to the load, (1,406,400 gallons) were used in street watering. Following is an inventory of the property in my charge.

6 Horses.....	\$1750 00
3 Pair Double Harness.....	150 00
3 Pair Street Blankets.....	45 00
2 Pair Stable Blankets.....	7 50
3 Two Horse Carts.....	375 00
2 " " Sleds.....	100 00
1 Sleigh Barge.....	50 00
2 Road Machines.....	200 00
2 " Plows.....	20 00
7 Gravel Screens.....	35 00
2 Two Horse Shovels.....	12 00
1 Stone Drag.....	5 00
1 Road ".....	18 00
1 Two Horse Road Roller.....	40 00
1 Steam Road Roller.....	2400 00
1 Watering Cart.....	175 00
7 Snow Plows.....	150 00
1 Road Harrow.....	8 00
Stable Tools, Lanterns, Shovels, Chains, Hoes and all other property, a full list of which I am sending to you.....	500 00
Total,	\$6040 50

A much larger amount of work than usual has been done on the highways this year, as the weather, well into the late fall, was favorable for work. The town property is in good condition and the department is better equipped than at any time in its history to do good work.

Respectfully submitted,
JOSEPH A. HUCKINS, Supt. of Streets.

After an examination of the Town House by the carpenters, it was found that the condition of the sills and posts was not as bad as outside appearances indicated and the necessary repairs were made at an expense of only \$202 09. The work of repairs was started so late, that it was thought advisable to let the painting go

until the coming spring. The damage down by the tidal wave during the December storm will make necessary a special appropriation for rebuilding Goulds bridge. We will be ready to state the sum needed at the annual meeting.

The increased amount paid for police service is due to the increase in salary to the men. It was found that the Court did not have the legal right to pay fees to the officers and this money has been paid into the Town treasury. The taking away of the fees made it necessary to increase the salary, but the Town gets the money from the Court.

That we have been able to show the largest balance in favor of the Town for years is, of course, gratifying to us as well as to you. We hope that in the performance of our duties we have merited and may continue to have the good will and esteem of all of the citizens.

Respectfully submitted,

Ipswich, Jan. 1, 1910.	George A. Schofield,	} Selectmen of Ipswich.
	Charles E. Goodhue,	
	John A. Brown,	

STATEMENT OF TOWN PROPERTY.

REAL ESTATE.

Water and Electric Light plants.
Town Farm, land and buildings.
Town House, lot and furnishings.
Cemeteries.
Six Engine Houses and land,
Eleven School Houses and land.
Woodland at Linebrook.
Woodland at Common Fields.
Turkey Shore Pasture.
Thatch Bank (Great Flats).
Thatch Banks (Third Creek).
Two Gravel Pits, Washington street.
Gravel Pit near J. C. Carlisle's.
Gravel Pit at Eagle Hill.
Pound.

All sand and clam flats, and all other property granted to the inhabitants of Ipswich by the Commoners in 1787, which has not since been sold.

PERSONAL PROPERTY.

Furniture and other property at Farm.
Fire Engines and Apparatus.
Fire Alarm System.
Hearse.
Furniture at the Town House.
Hay Scales, (2)
Safe for Treasurer and Clerk.
Town Horses, Carts, Barges, Harness, etc.
Watering Cart.
Road Machine and other Highway Dept. property.
Steam Road Roller.
Town Clock.



POLICE REPORT.

To the Board of Selectmen,
Ipswich, Mass.

Gentlemen :—

I have the honor to submit to you the Report of the duties performed by the Police Department for the year ending Dec. 31, 1909.

Total number of arrests.....258

CRIMES AGAINST PERSON.

Arson	1
Assault and Battery.....	28
Assault on Officers	9
Threats	3
Indecent exposure of Person.....	1

CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY.

Breaking and entering	3
Larceny	11
Malicious mischief	9
Finding money, not posting notice	1
Obstructing R R Track.....	1
Game Law.....	3

CRIMES AGAINST GOOD ORDER.

Breach of the Peace.....	20
Cruelty to Animals.....	1
Drunkenness	F 5 M 157
Violating the Liquor Law	1
Vagrants	11
Violating Lord's Day.....	1



Obstructing the Board of Health.....	1
Over speeding, auto law.....	2

DISPOSITION OF ARRESTS.

Appealed	11
Continued	25
Discharged	7
Found not guilty	2
Fines Paid.....	53
Grand Jury.....	2
Placed on File	53
Probation	20
Released	8
Sentenced	65
Sentence suspended	11
Out on bonds	1

STOLEN PROPERTY.

Value of property reported stolen	\$ 375 50
Value of property recovered.....	350 00

LOST PROPERTY.

Value of property reported lost.....	\$ 17 50
Value of property recovered and restored to owners...	17 50

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Assistance rendered persons in distress.....	12
Buildings found open and secured	19
Complaints investigated	169
Committed to Danvers Hospital	4
Lost children restored to parents	4
Dogs killed	4
Fires extinguished.....	3
Fire alarm	5
Notices served.....	11
Special duty for private parties.....	547 hours

Respectfully submitted,
 Wesley B. Atkinson,
 Chief of Police.



Ipswich, Mass., Jan. 1, 1910.

Property in possession of Police Department.

Badges.....	11
Chain twisters.....	10
Electric flash lights.....	4
Hand cuffs, pairs.....	10
Keys.....	42
Metal whistles.....	4
Police clubs.....	11

ENGINEERS' REPORT.

Ipswich, Mass., Jan. 16, 1910.

To the Selectmen of Ipswich:

Following is the report of the Board of Engineers of the Fire Department for the year ending Dec. 31, 1909.

Number of alarms.....	20
Property damaged by fire.....	\$ 3330 93
Insurance on same.....	8150 00
Insurance paid	2961 00
Number of men in department.....	64
Value of fire department equipments.....	7600 00
Value of buildings occupied by department.....	19500 00
Value of fire alarm equipments.....	2100 00
Number of feet of hose.....	4500



The following are the box alarms of fires for 1909 :

January 22, Box 32, Willcomb's Square.
March 19, " 12, Whittier's Corner.
March 22, " 56, High Street Bridge.
March 29, " 56, " " "
March 30, " 35, Green St. Bridge.
March 31, " 63, Water street.
April 2, " 44, Peatfield street.
April 10, " 43, Liberty street.
May 24, " 63, Water street.
May 31, " 12, Whittier's Corner.
June 1, " 56, High street Bridge.
July 4, " 35, Green street Bridge.
July 5, " 35, " " "
July 16, " 24, Hose 2 House.
July 21, " 52, Depot Square.
August 22, " 54, Peatfield Street.
Dec. 10, " 52, Depot Square.
Dec. 10, " 52, " " (same fire)
Dec. 13, " 52, Depot Square.
Dec. 25, " 54, Peatfield Street.
Still alarms of fire, 20.

We recommend that \$3,500. be raised and appropriated to run the fire department for the ensuing year.

We recommend that the sum of \$300. be raised to purchase new hose.

A. J. Barton,	} Engineers	
R. R. Glasier,		of
T. R. Lord.		Ipswich.

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT.

Selectmen of Ipswich,
Gentlemen :

In making my annual report of the doings of the office of Town Clerk, I would say that in the matter of collecting and re-binding the old records, I have done practically nothing. I did not ask any appropriation at the last annual meeting, as the amounts called for in the direction of expenditures in the various departments was quite large, and I felt that perhaps it would be as well to go slow for a time, but I am now anxious to take up the work again, as I think it will be well to place all the records in the best possible condition at once. Although I can proceed without asking for an appropriation, yet I would rather act with the knowledge that I have the approval of the town in this work. It is not necessary to say that the preservation of the records is of vital importance, that only by doing so can justice be done to the people. Well would it have been for Ipswich if more care had been exercised in the past. With the knowledge I have of the condition of the ancient records, my only conclusion is that these books and documents relating to the earlier work of the town have been shamefully abused and neglected. Not one of the earliest books are complete, much is missing, in fact books are missing and I have tried to get some information that would be of use in tracing them but in vain. They have been gone too long to hope for their recovery. Soon after my election as Clerk I commenced a search for

all the books, papers, and documents that required the care and oversight of the Clerk, and I found the Ancient Records of this old town scattered from one end of the building to the other in rotting chests, boxes and other receptacles, all going to ruin. I at once commenced the work of putting them in shape, but as before stated much valuable matter is not to be found. I would ask that a sum not exceeding two hundred dollars be appropriated for the work of repairing and rebinding the old records.

My record of Births, Marriages and Deaths follows.

BIRTHS.

Whole number of Births reported, 126.

Fathers born in Ipswich	16	Mothers	16
“ “ Mass.....	19	“	19
“ “ U. S.....	7	“	9
“ “ Eng.....	3	“	3
“ “ Ireland	3	“	2
“ “ Br Prov.....	27	“	28
“ “ Russia, Aus- tria & Poland..	39	“	39
“ “ Greece.....	8	“	8
“ “ Italy.....	2	“	1
“ “ Unknown	2	“ Norway.....	1
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126		126	

Parents residing in Ipswich	123
“ “ Boston.....	1
“ “ Melrose.....	1
“ “ Swanton, Vt	1
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126	

Occupation of Fathers:—Mill Operatives 43, Laborers 26, Farmers 7, Carpenters 5, Teamsters 4, Merchants 2, Spinner 1, Printer 2, Clerk 7, Stone mason 1, Steam fitter 1, Milk dealers 3, Junk dealers 2, Fisherman 2, Conductors 2, Barbers 3, Salesmen 2, Candy Manufacturer 1, Agent 1, Showman 1, Grocers 2, Crossing tender 1, Broker 1, Engineer 1, Horseman 1, Physician 1, Fruit dealer 1, Unknown 2. Total 126.

Births by months:—January 13, February 9, March 14, April 11, May 8, June 13, July 6, August 8, September 10, October 8, November 10, December 16. Total 126.

MARRIAGES.

Whole number returned 104.

Married in Ipswich 83 couples, Salem 2, Lynn 3, Boston 1, Boxford 1, Beverly 1, Cambridge 1, Haverhill 1, Malden 1, Newburyport 1, Peabody 1, Reading 1, Rowley 1, Somerville 1, Waltham 1, Woodstock Vt., 1, Providence, R. I., 3. Total 104.

Grooms born in Ipswich	14	Brides.....	20
“ “ Mass.....	27	“	13
“ “ U S.....	4	“	8
“ “ England	3	“ Scotland.....	1
“ “ Ireland	3	“	5
“ “ Br Prov.....	9	“	13
“ “ Russia, Aus- tria & Poland..	29	“	29
“ “ Greece.....	14	“	14
“ “ Sweden	1	“ Germany.....	1
	<hr/> 104		<hr/> 104

Oldest Groom, 63. Bride, 50.

One groom married for the fourth time.

Youngest groom, 19. Bride, 16.

Marriages by months:—January 12, February 8, March 3, April 6, May 9, June 15, July 5, August 5, September 11, October 12, November 11, December 6. Total 104.

Marriages by R C Clergymen 46, Greek 13, Congregational 14, Methodist Episcopal 13, Protestant Episcopal 5, Universalist 2, Denomination unknown 6, Justice of the Peace 4, Clerk of 3 Dist. Eastern Middlesex Court 1. Total 104.

DEATHS.

Whole number of Deaths, 105.

Residing in Ipswich 99, Other places 6.

Males 62. Females 43.

Born in Ipswich 65, Mass. 13, U. S. 10, Br Prov., 6, England, Scotland 1, Ireland 3, Russia 2, Germany 1, Greece 1, Unknown 2



The following were eighty years of age and over

Died Jan. 2, Annie P. Batchelder, aged 84 years.

" Jan. 31, Lucy A. Warner, aged 81 years, 1 month, 6 days.

" Feb. 28, Daniel Kimball, aged 86 years, 10 months, 2 days.

" March 3, Elizabeth Dellaph, aged 90 years.

" April 7, David Grady, aged 91 years, 4 days.

" May 16, Henry Wald, aged 82 years, 2 months, 4 days.

" June 4, Joseph Claxton, aged 88 years, 3 months.

" August 20, Johanna Caldwell, aged 81 years, 11 months.

" October 5, Caroline E. Perkins, aged 83 years, 9 months.

" October 25, Christopher Chisholm, aged 84 years, 1 mo 25 days

" November 12, Susan H. Mayo, aged 85 years, 6 months.

Deaths by months:—January 5, February 14, March 9, April 8, May 9, June 7, July 4, August 16, September 9, October 10, November 8, December 6. Total 105.

LICENSES.

Licenses have been granted and issued as follows.

Liquor Licenses 1st class.....	5
" " 4th class	5
" " 6th class druggists	5
Innholders "	2
Common Victualler	9
Junk Collectors.....	5
Junk Dealers	5
Second Hand Articles.....	2
Billiard and Pool ...	5
Auctioneers	2

In compliance with the provisions of Chapter 484, Acts of the Legislature 1908, the Town Clerk is required to issue to citizens of the United States, residents of Massachusetts, a license to hunt and kill game in the season, for which a fee of one dollar is charged and paid to the Treasurer of the Commonwealth by the clerk issuing the license. The number of hunters licenses issued from this office during the year 1909 was 135. The fees for the same were paid as required to the Treasurer.

Whole number of dogs licensed.....	225
Males	200
Females.....	25

Respectfully,

Charles W. Bamford,
Town Clerk.

FUNDS LEFT IN TRUST WITH THE TOWN FOR THE CARE OF BURIAL LOTS.

NAME OF FUND.	AMT, JAN. 1, '09.	INT. RECEIVED.	PD. OUT.	AMT. JAN. 1, '10
Andrews	\$ 227 05	\$ 9 14	\$3 50	\$ 232 69
Birch	52 87	2 10	1 50	53 47
Samuel Blood	61 42	2 46	1 00	62 88
Philip E' Clarke	125 63	5 04	20 50	110 17
Joel Caldwell	106 84	4 28	3 00	108 12
Cogswell	357 66	12 36	52 00	318 02
Dawson	129 78	5 20	2 50	132 48
Mary S Farley	119 45	4 80	1 50	122 75
George L Hovey	114 67	4 60	1 50	117 77
Mary Haskell	53 08	2 14	1 50	53 72
George Kinsman	118 06	4 76	2 50	120 32
Hannah Kimball	129 38	5 18	3 50	131 06
Eben Kimball	149 03	6 00	1 50	153 53
Martha Lakeman	66 79	2 68	1 00	68 47
John Pingree	85 05	3 42	1 50	86 97
Rhoda Potter	116 32	4 67	2 00	118 99
Rogers & Johnson	108 45	4 36	3 00	109 81
Staniford	98 81	3 96	1 00	101 77
Susan Trow	433 14	17 42	2 00	448 59
Aaron Kinsman	52 74	2 10	1 50	53 34
William Kinsman	63 62	2 54	1 00	65 16
John B Lamson	57 84	2 30	1 00	59 14

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NAME OF FUND.	AMT. JAN. 1, '09.	INT. RECEIVED.	PD. OUT.	AMT. JAN. 1, '10.
John A Brown	\$ 111 59	\$ 4 48	\$1 00	\$ 116 07
M E Barber	54 56	2 18		55 74
Charles W Giddings	85 16	3 42		88 58
Sarah E Durgin	113 94	4 58	1 50	117 02
Joanna Kinsman	111 55	4 48	2 00	114 03
Catherine E Varrell	283 32	11 38	1 50	293 20
Mary Willcomb	68 64	2 76	2 50	68 90
Mary E Young	24 94	98	7 00	24 92
Millett & Kimball	212 14	8 54	5 00	215 68
Giddings	141 32	5 68	2 00	145 00
Edward Plouff	56 51	2 22	3 00	55 73
Josiah Lord	117 45	4 72	1 50	120 67
Mary E Peatfield	103 60	4 00	5 50	102 10
Lucy F Spiller	56 45	2 26	1 50	57 21
Joseph Spiller	54 03	2 18	1 50	54 71
Eben Caldwell	109 20	4 40	2 00	111 60
Coburn	252 88	10 16	2 00	261 04
Samuel Blake	108 80	4 36	1 50	111 66
Catherine W Clark	111 90	4 50	1 50	114 90
William G Brown	118 26	4 76	1 50	121 52
Sally Roberts	119 34	4 78	1 50	122 62
Eugene Spinney	110 89	4 46	1 50	113 85

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NAME OF FUND.	AMT, JAN. 1, '09.	INT. RECEIVED.	PD. OUT	AMT. JAN. 1, '10
	\$	\$		\$
Locust Grove Cemetery	55 83	2 22		58 05
Charler Palmer	106 74	4 28	\$2 00	109 02
Mary M Field	55 02	2 22	1 00	56 24
Luther Lord	109 56	4 40	1 50	112 46
Ezra Lord	111 10	4 48	1 00	114 58
Lucy H Brown	109 56	4 40	1 50	112 46
Patience C Bray	102 75	4 11	2 00	104 86
Richard T Dodge	108 57	3 36	1 50	111 43
Henry F Russell	111 69	4 44	3 00	113 13
George Haskell	332 31	13 36	2 00	343 67
Theodore C Howe	107 59	4 32	1 50	110 41
Nathaniel Shatswell	108 24	4 36	1 50	111 10
George H Gilmore	52 58	2 10	1 00	53 68
William and Ida Stackpole	131 49	5 28	1 50	135 27
Hannah H Pearson	54 12	2 18		56 30
Harry K Dodge	105 16	4 24	1 50	107 90
Henry S Holmes	50 04	2 02		52 06
Caroline E Hodgkins	52 06	2 10	1 50	52 06
Aaron F Brown	53 56	2 14		55 70
J Farley Kinsman	103 10	4 16		107 26
Thomas Brown	104 10	4 20	1 50	106 80
William S Gould	105 68	4 24	1 50	108 42

NAME OF FUND.	AMT. JAN. 1, '09.	INT. RECEIVED.	PD. OUT.	AMT. JAN. 1, '10.
Lucy C Coburn	\$ 208 08	\$ 8 40		\$ 216 48
William H Kinsman	104 12	4 20	\$2 00	106 32
Caroline E Bomer	104 12	4 20	2 00	106 32
Elizabeth A Bailey	52 06	2 10	1 00	53 16
Heirs John Lane	51 56	2 06	1 50	52 12
Hannah L Parsons	53 06	2 14		55 20
E & T F Cogswell	102 04	4 12		106 16
Ezekiel & Moses Peabody	102 54	4 12	2 50	104 16
Charles H Cutter	104 04	4 12	3 00	105 16
William & Abigail Haskell	52 52	2 10		54 62
George E Lord	103 02	4 16	1 50	105 68
Nora Fraser	51 00	2 06		53 06
Franklin G Morris	101 00	4 08	1 50	103 58
Robert Stone	50 50	2 02	1 50	51 02

NEW FUNDS ADDED DURING THE YEAR.

NAME OF FUND.	AMT. JAN. 1, '09.	INT. RECEIVED.	PD. OUT.	AMT. JAN. 1, '10.
Emerson Howe	\$100 00	\$ 2 00		\$ 102 00
*Willis and Stacy	103 02	4 16	\$2 50	104 68
Caroline E Lord	100 00	2 00		102 00
Robert Gilmore	200 00			200 00
John D Cilley	100 00			100 00

*This Fund was omitted in last year's report.

NOTES AND BONDS.

LIST OF ALL OUTSTANDING, JANUARY 1, 1910.

ELECTRIC LIGHT DEPARTMENT.

HELD BY	AMT.	RATE	DATE ISSUED	NO. NOTES	EXPIRATION
Chelsea Savings Bank	\$17,000	4	Oct. 1, '03	17 notes 7-23	1910-1926 inc.
Malden Savings Bank	2,000	4	Oct. 1, '03	2 notes 24&25	1927-1928 inc.
Ipswich Water Dept. Sinking Fund	3,000	4	Oct. 1, '03	3 notes 26-28	1929-1931 inc.
Malden Savings Bank	5,000	4	Dec. 15, '03	5 notes 29-33	1915-1919 inc.
Ipswich Water Dept. Sinking Fund	2,000	4	Dec. 15, '04	2 notes 34&35	1920-1921 inc.
Holliston Savings Bank	4,000	4	Dec. 15, '04	4 notes 36-39	1922-1925 inc
State of Massachusetts	4,000	4	May 1, '05	4 notes 40-43	1926-1929 inc.
Ipswich Water Department	2,000	4	Dec. 15, '06	2 notes 44&45	1930-1931 inc.
Ipswich Cemetery Trust Funds	2,000	4	June 15, '07	2 notes 46&47	1932-1933 inc.
No. Ave. Savings Bank, Cambridge	2,000	4	June 30, '08	2 notes 1 & 2	1934-1935 inc.
Malden Savings Bank	2,000	4	June 15, '09	2 notes 1 & 2	1936-1937 inc.

Notes Nos. 1 to 6 inclusive of the first issue for \$500. each have been paid. Up to note No. 47 the numbers are consecutive, but at the request of those who purchased the notes in 1908 and 1909 they were numbered 1 and 2 as the series of those years.

NOTES AND BONDS CONTINUED.

WATER DEPARTMENT NOTES AND BONDS.

SOLD TO	AMT.	RATE	DATE ISSUED	NO. BONDS	NO. INC.	EXPIRATION
Lamprecht Bros	\$100,000	4	July 1, '94	100	1 to 100	July 1, 1924
E P Jose	30,000	4	Jan 1, '95	30	101 to 130	"
N W Harris & Co	6,000	4	Jan 1, '97	6	131 to 136	"
Town of Ipswich Sinking Fund	2,000	4	July 1, '99	2	137 & 138	"
Adams & Co	9,000	4	July 1, '00	9	139 to 147	"
Ipswich Water Dept Sinking Fund	1,000	4	Dec 14, '03	1	148	"
Name not recorded	1,000	4	Dec 17, '03	1	149	"
Ipswich Water Dept Sinking Fund	4,000	4	Dec 31, '04	4	150 to 153	"
"	3,000	4	Oct 21, '07	3	154 to 156	"
"	1,000	4	Nov 19, '07	1	157	"
"	2,000	4	Dec 31, '07	2	158 & 159	"
"	1,000	4	Nov 30, '08	1	160	"
"	3,000	4	Nov 10, '08	3 notes	1 to 3	1911-13 inc
"	2,000	4	Dec 15, '08	2 "	4 & 5	1914-15 "
"	4,000	4	June 14, '09	4 "	6 to 9	1916-19 "
"	1,000	4	Dec 31, '09	1	10	1920

NOTES AND BONDS CONTINUED.

HELD BY	AMT.	RATE	DATE ISSUED	NO. NOTES	EXPIRATION
CENTRAL FIRE STATION NOTES.					
State of Mass.	\$16,000	4 1-2	Dec. 12, '07	sixteen notes	1910-'25 inc
Swampscott Water Dept	2,000	4	Feb. 15, '08	two notes	1926-'27
BURLEY SCHOOL NOTES.					
State of Mass.	\$10,000	4 1-2	Feb. 15, '08	ten notes	1910-'19
ANTICIPATION OF TAXES [1909]					
Ipswich Water Dept Sinking Fund	\$ 1,500	4	Jan. 13, '09	one note	on demand
Jose Parker & Co	3,500	3.45	June 7, '09	"	June 7, '10
"	10,000	3.47	June 14, '09	"	Mar. 14, '10
ANTICIPATION OF TAXES [1910]					
Ipswich Savings Bank	\$1,914.17	4 1-2	Dec. 31, '09	one note	Sep. 30, '10
NOTES ISSUED FOR SPECIAL WORK.					
Ipswich Savings Bank	\$1,000	5	May 15, '83	one note	on demand
Ipswich Water Dept Sinking Fund	3,800	4	*Civil War notes	"	Sep 29, '11
"	500	4	July 23, '64	"	June 11, '11
"	1,800	3 3-4	June '65	"	Oct. 23, '12
Joanna Kinsman	600	5	July 14, '65	"	on demand
Burley Fund	3,500	5	*June 5, '65	"	on demand
Lucy E Condon	500	4	July 15, '67	"	on demand
Ipswich Savings Bank	1,212.50	4	Oct. 30, '06	"	on demand
"	1,212.50	4	Oct. 30, '06	"	on demand
"	500	5	Nov 7, '07	"	Oct. 30, '10
"					Nov. 7, '10

*The two notes marked with the star, were originally in a number of small notes issued between 1861 and 1867. In 1876 the town issued two notes, one for \$1,800. to Benjamin Towne, and one of \$2,000. to Samuel Dane, and paid off the small notes. Again on August 14, 1893, these two notes were paid, and one note of \$3,800. issued and sold to Aaron Kinsman. The Sinking Fund Commissioners purchased it in 1906. The note for \$3,500. held by the Burley Fund was purchased by that Fund in 1881, and was made up of notes issued to B. P. Towne in 1865.

The \$1,000. note held by the Ipswich Savings Bank was first issued May 15, 1883, to purchase land for a cemetery, reissued in 1893 to Gardner Brown, renewed in 1898 and 1902, and sold by his estate to the Bank.

The two notes issued October 30, 1906, for \$1,212.50 each were for the purchase of a road roller. The note for \$500. issued November 7, 1907, is the last of the notes authorized for a heating plant for the Town Hall. The note in anticipation of 1910 taxes for \$1,914.17 was authorized at a special meeting held in December 1909 and is for the regular Moth Suppression work of 1910, which begins on December 1, 1909, to conform to the State year.

The other special notes are old war notes for which the Town has not provided payment.

The table of notes is published as a part of the Town Report for the first time, and is a correct copy of the note and bond indebtedness of the Town as shown by the Town Treasurer's books. An article in the Town Warrant calls for making the publication of a similar table in the Town Report compulsory, and it should be adopted.

TOWN OF IPSWICH.

SIXTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT

—OF THE—

WATER

—AND—

MUNICIPAL LIGHTING

COMMISSIONERS



FOR THE YEAR 1909.

IPSWICH, MASS.:
CHRONICLE MOTOR PRINT.
1910.

OFFICERS OF THE
WATER AND MUNICIPAL LIGHTING
COMMISSIONERS.

COMMISSIONERS.

GEO. A. SCHOFIELD, Chairman,	Term expires 1912
GEO. H. W. HAYES,	“ “ 1910
WILLIAM H. RAND,	“ “ 1911

CLERK.

GEO. A. SCHOFIELD, Office, Room 5, Town House
Office hours from 1 P. M. to 5 P. M. every week day
except Saturday. Telephone 92-4.

TREASURER.

CHARLES W. BAMFORD, Office at Town House

Manager Electric Light,	Geo. A. Schofield
Chief Engineer, Electric Light,	Edmund A. Russell
Electrician, Electric Light,	John H. Clarke
Foreman, Water Department,	William P. Gould

OFFICE OF COMMISSIONERS, ROOM 5, TOWN HOUSE
Meetings held every Tuesday at 7.30 P. M.

I. LIST OF BILLS AND AMOUNTS PAID FOR THE
YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1909.

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
PIPE LINE CONSTRUCTION.		
Chadwick Boston Lead Co	lead	\$ 163 68
Ipswich Mills Co	supplies	1 15
C W Trainer Mfg Co	asbestos covering	267 10
American Ex Co	express	3 42
C H Parsons	labor	67 54
Carl Copp	"	100 01
Earl Eustace	"	61 54
H P Andrews	"	42 14
Chas Tibbetts	"	38 00
Edw Somers	"	40 00
Michael Saron	"	4 00
Edw Lemeiux	"	18 88
Jos Genest	"	53 32
Wm P Gould	"	154 50
B & M R R Co	freight	146 86
A D Mallard	teaming	59 85
Tony Sinvisky	labor	15 76
Orsin Vittario	"	52 44
Louis Komish	"	9 98
Thos Lambert	"	23 10
Dan'l McInnis	"	38 44
Geo E MacArthur	medical aid	9 00
S F Canney	lumber	6 89
D A Grady	teams	55 00
Jackson's Ex Co	express	7 50
Wile Bros	tearning	30 25
Tenny Morse & Co	pipe	881 37
Walworth Mfg Co	"	822 09
C C Caldwell	wood	13 60
J W Goodhue	supplies	6 83
L E Willcomb	"	5 04

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
Jos A King	labor	\$ 2 30
H Mueller Mfg Co	supplies	2 98
F T Goodhue	"	1 20
Chadwick Iron Works	pipe	20 25
Ernest Lemay	labor	7 07
Chapman Valve Co	hydrants	85 68
Jos Martel	labor	5 30
John Sturk	"	21 08
Geo Hills	"	1 10
Oscar Pickard	"	1 00
John Bauber	"	25 50
John Zealous	"	25 50
Michael Pasul	"	23 74
Chas Seatlon	"	13 04
Edw Martel	"	2 00
James Kivards	"	14 80
Simon Wisterios	"	24 74
Chas Varersur	"	6 30
Alonzo Brown	oil	1 68
A J Barton & Son	labor	1 50
Total		\$3486 04

SERVICE PIPE CONSTRUCTION.

Chas H Parsons	labor	\$ 71 74
D A Grady	teams	25 00
Wm P Gould	labor	191 00
Jos A King	"	65
A D Mallard	teaming	13 04
Chadwick Boston Lead Co	lead	218 96
Carl Copp	labor	84 28
James Surette	"	8 66
J W Goodhue	supplies	68
Jackson's Ex Co	express	3 25
Ernest F Lemay	labor	2 00
Geo W Brown	"	3 75

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
Walworth Mfg Co	pipe and supplies	\$ 215 82
Wm P Ross	labor	1 05
Earl Eustace	"	14 20
Boston Steam Specialty Co	fittings	43 50
Jos Robicheau	labor	2 00
Howard Andrews	"	4 46
John Sturk	"	2 00
Michael Pasul	"	2 46
Chas Seatlon	"	2 46
Simon Wisterus	"	5 56
National Meter Co	meters	595 20
Total		\$1511 72

REPAIRS PIPE LINE AND PUMPS.

Snow Steam Pump Works	fittings	\$ 50 40
Joseph King	labor	2 00
Jackson's Ex Co	express	1 55
F T Goodhue	supplies	1 20
Chas Jewett	labor	4 00
Wm P Gould	"	2 50
Carl Copp	"	2 00
Lumsden & Van Stone	repiping station	1475 70
Albert Russell & Sons	repairs	233 02
Total		\$1772 37

INTEREST.

Old Colony Trust Co	interest on bonds	\$6400 00
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REPAIRS SERVICES.

Chas H Parsons	labor	\$ 1 88
Wm P Gould	"	20 00
Carl Copp	"	12 00
Hersey Mfg Co	supplies	2 48
Total		\$ 36 36

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
BOILER REPAIRS.		
Carl Copp	labor	\$ 15 50
F Maynard Jewett	"	19 60
Waldo Bros	fire brick	89 00
John S Glover	cement	24 15
John A Brown	brick	36 50
Chas Seatlon	labor	11 60
T F Cogswell & Co	cement	7 63
D M Dillon Steam Boiler	fittings	23 48
Frank A Ross	labor	30 80
Jos King	"	75
Total		\$ 259 01
NEW BOILER AND BOILER HOUSE.		
Electric Light Dept	material and labor	\$ 30 40
Waldo Bros	firebrick	27 75
D M Dillon Steam Boiler	balance on boiler	57 24
Ernest Copp	labor	14 00
John A Brown	brick	134 00
B W Woodward	labor	117 21
Thos P Thomas	slating roof	179 52
T F Cogswell Co	cement	4 50
Total		\$564 62
MAINTENANCE.		
Wm P Gould	labor	\$ 412 00
Luther Wait P M	stamped envelopes	87 96
Chas H Parsons	labor	5 66
Cotton & Woolen Mfg Ins Co	insurance	50 00
Electric Lt Dept	pumping water	1500 00
John W Goodhue	supplies	6 06
Joseph King	labor	2 59
Geo G Dexter	supplies	75
N E T & T Co	telephones	30 82
H Mueller Mfg Co	supplies	6 78
Buffalo Meter Co	"	3 00

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
Hinds & Coon	packing	\$ 13 30
A H Plouff	labor & supplies	7 25
C S Tyler	clocks	5 50
Feodor Burgman	labor	11 15
Chas W Bamford	treasurer	100 00
Francis Doane & Co	supplies	6 50
Westchester Fire Ins Co	insurance	9 38
A W Chesterton & Co	packing	11 25
Wm H Rand	labor	88 44
A Storrs & Bement Co	supplies	2 05
Geo P Anderson	packing	16 94
W E Dupray Agt	bond	40 00
E R Smith	supplies	75
F W Barry Beale & Co	"	9 00
F L Burke & Son	"	1 25
Chronicle Pub Co	printing	51 70
First Nat Bank	rent deposit box	21 30
Geo Harris	use of land	1 00
Mutual Boiler Ins Co	insurance	37 50
American Ex Co	express	1 05
Geo E Marsh	soap	4 25
The Garlock Packing Co	packing	6 75
D A Grady	teams	9 00
Edmund Ready	labor	15 00
John A Brown	"	13 50
O P Perley	"	6 00
D S Appleton	"	11 00
Carl Copp	"	5 10
Ernest E Currier	supplies	1 00
G H W Hayes	salary as commissioner	100 00
Wm H Rand	" "	100 00
G A Schofield	" "	100 00
G A Schofield	salary as clerk	250 00
W N Prescott		05
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		\$3162 58

INTEREST ON NOTES.

Paid Sinking Fund Com.....	\$280 00
Total expense for year.....	\$17472 70

II. RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS FOR THE YEAR
ENDING DECEMBER 31. 1909.

Receipts		Disbursements.	
Balance Dec 31, 1908	\$1435 84	Maintenance	\$3162 58
App Hydrants	1836 00	Reps pipe line	1772 37
Insurance dividend	57 50	“ services	36 36
Water Rates	12035 46	“ boilers	259 01
Services	43 86		\$5230 32
Miscellaneous water	97 39	Services	1511 72
Miscellaneous receipts	286 47	Pipe line	3486 04
Received from notes	5000 00	New boiler & house	564 62
		Interest	6680 00
		Balance on hand	3319 82
	<u>\$20792 52</u>		<u>\$20792 52</u>

III. BALANCE SHEET FOR YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1909

Bonds	\$170000 00	Engineering	\$ 3350 00
Premiums	10412 58	Land damages and	
Appropriation	31364 20	rights of way	3599 12
Miscellaneous re-		Pumping station	13117 34
ceipts	165 43	Pumps & machinery	13392 34
Water rates	126451 71	Storage Basin	27693 59
Balance of appropria-		Bull Brook supply	1778 60
tion for filters	143 28	Distributing reservoir	17827 56
		Pipe line constuc'ion	95259 48
		Service pipe	“ 14667 25
		Store house	“ 178 70
		Miscellaneous	2834 20
		Cost construction	193698 18
		Interest on bonds	89638 32
		Maintenance	46464 35
		Materials & supplies	1746 81
		Water rates due and	
		unpaid	3196 81
		Service paid & unpaid	472 91
		Balance	3319 82
	<u>\$338,537 20</u>		<u>\$338,537 20</u>

IV. SUMMARY OF COST OF CONSTRUCTION TO DEC. 31, '09.

Construction Account.	Dec.31, '08	Year 1909	Dec. 31, '09
Engineering	\$ 3350 00		\$ 3350 00
Land damages & rights of way	3599 12		3599 12
Pumping station	12609 96	\$ 507 38	13117 34
Pumps & pumping machinery .	11859 40	1532 94	13392 34
Storage basin	27693 59		27693 59
Bull Brook supply	1778 60		1778 60
Distributing reservoir	17827 56		17827 56
Pipe line construction	92082 33	3177 15	95259 48
Service pipe construction	13473 98	1193 27	14667 25
Store house	178 70		178 70
Miscellaneous	2834 20		2834 20
	\$187287 44	\$ 6410 74	\$193698 18

V. SINKING FUND.

Receipts.			Investments.	
Appropriation	1895	\$ 1700 00	Ipswich Sav'gs Bank	\$ 465 44
"	1896	1759 50	Institution for Sav-	
"	1897	1899 08	ings, Newburyport	241 24
"	1898	1965 55	Ipswich Water loan	27000 00
"	1899	2032 00	Ipswich Ele. Lt. notes	7000 00
"	1900	2138 65	Ipswich School note	500 00
"	1901	2363 50	Ipswich Town note	3800 00
"	1902	2446 22	" " "	1800 00
"	1903	2531 84	Ipswich Tax note	1500 00
"	1904	2680 32	Maine Cent. R R 4s	3000 00
"	1905	2890 91	Ill. Cent. R R 3 1-2s	3000 00
"	1906	2986 47	Bal. First Nat'l Bank	674 00
"	1907	3084 00		
"	1908	3418 34		
"	1909	3656 61		
Interest		11427 69		
		\$ 48980 68		\$ 48980 68

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

To the Board of Water Commissioners:

Gentlemen: Following is the report for the year ending December 31, 1909.

MAIN PIPES.

During the year the following extensions of mains have been laid (six inch pipe)

Newmarch street extensions 2271 feet

High street extension 1067 feet

Three hydrants have been put in and one broken one taken out.

The number of feet of mains laid to date and the sizes are as follows:

Sizes	Feet
14 inch	1,505
12 inch	10,963
10 inch	8,830
8 inch	17,897
6 inch	53,593
4 inch	3,550
2 inch	9,920

Total 106,258=20 miles, 728 feet.

STREET GATES.

Total number now set is 143

HYDRANTS.

They are all in good working order, the total now set is as follows:

Town	155
Private	13
Total	168

SERVICE PIPES.

Thirty-two services have been added this year. Total number of services connected with the works to date, 912.

Nine services are shut off at the sidewalk. These do not include services supplying sillcocks only, or those of summer residences.

Following is an account of the number of services added, also the number of feet of service pipe laid (by years) since the works were put in.

Year	No. of services added	Town		Private		Total	
		Ft.	In.	Ft.	In.	Ft.	In.
1894	181	4,470	4	2,771	2	7,241	6
1895	218	5,312	3	6,051	5	11,363	8
1896	110	2,391	9	2,616	5	5,008	2
1897	32	896	6	1,991	6	2,888	
1898	42	1,112	7	1,318	3	2,430	10
1899	34	841	2	1,335	10	2,177	
1900	30	641	2	2,741	4	3,382	6
1901	25	517	4	1,209	5	1,726	9
1902	25	580	1	3,657	2	4,237	3
1903	19	800	1	1,589	1	2,389	2
1904	17	367	5	263	2	630	7
1905	30	1,172	7	443	1	1,615	8
1906	22	454		233	5	687	5
1907	49	986	9	625	8	1,612	5
1908	55	715	3	464	8	1,179	11
1909	32	653	5	336	9	990	2
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16	921	21,203	8	27,648	4	48,861	0

Total, 48,861=9 miles, 1341 feet.

The pipes used are cast iron, lead and galvanized iron, from 3-4 inch to 4 inches.

SYNOPSIS OF THE PUMPING RECORDS FOR THE YEAR
ENDING DECEMBER 31. 1909.

1909	Total pumping time per month.		Total amount of coal used per month.		Average amount of coal used per day.		Total number gallons of water pumped per month.		Average number gal- lons of water pumped per day.		Gallons water pumped to pound coal used.	
	Month.	Hrs.Min.	Lbs.	Lbs.	Gallons.	Galls.	Ga!					
January	111	15	24,587	793	7,061,659	227,795	287					
February	102		22,031	787	6,473,625	231,201	294					
March	121	15	24,154	779	7,761,626	250,375	321					
April	105	30	21,890	729	6,564,440	218,814	299					
May	104	15	23,388	755	6,696,389	216,012	286					
June	156	30	35,481	1183	10,118,285	337,276	288					
July	160	45	36,164	1166	10,214,607	329,503	283					
August	134	45	29,551	952	8,664,833	279,511	293					
September	110		24,749	825	7,010,722	233,691	283					
October	96	30	20,860	673	6,079,140	196,101	291					
November	98		21,161	705	6,038,049	201,268	285					
December	107	45	21,771	702	6,691,820	215,865	307					
Total for year	1408	30	305,787		89,375,195							
Daily average for year				837		244,864						

Amount of coal consumed during the year, 136 tons, 1147 lbs.

METERS.

Forty-eight meters have been added this year, the total number now in use is as follows:

NAME.	Sizes						Totals
	3 in	2 in	1 1-2 in	1 in	3-4 in	5-8 in	
Crown/.....	2	5	3	5		50	65
Empire			1			58	59
Hersey		1		3		47	51
Lambert		2		3		29	34
Niagara			1		59	20	80
Nash				4		55	59
Union						1	1
Worthington.....				2		18	20
Columbia						3	3
Elevator.....							2
	2	8	5	17	59	281	374

EXTENSIONS.

NEWMARCH STREET EXTENSION. NO. 1.

1270 ft 6 in C I pipe at 50c	\$ 635 00
2, 6in tees	16 00
1, 6x2 tee	7 00
1, 6in street gate	18 00
1, 2in service gate	5 00
1, 6in plug.....	75
1, 8x6 reducer	5 75
2 street gate boxes.....	9 00
13 pigs lead.....	78 00
30 lbs jute	1 80
Wood	5 00
Steamer hydrant.....	32 00
Labor and Miscellaneous	381 00

Total

\$1194 30

Average cost .94¹/₂ per foot

NEWMARCH STREET EXTENSION. NO. 2.

1000 feet 6in C I pipe at 50c.....	\$ 500 00
2, 6in tees	16 00
3, 6in plugs.....	2 25
8 pigs lead.....	48 00
20 lbs jute	1 20
Wood	4 07
Steamer hydrant.....	32 00
Labor and Miscellaneous	300 00

Total \$ 903 52

Average cost $.90\frac{1}{4}$ per foot

HIGH STREET EXTENSION.

1067 feet 6 in C I pipe at 50c	\$ 533 50
9 pigs lead	54 00
20 lbs jute	1 20
2, 6 in tees.....	16 00
2, 6 in plugs	1 50
Steamer hydrant	32 00
Wood	4 53
Labor and miscellaneous	320 10

Total \$ 962 83

Average cost .90-|- per foot.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

CHARLES W. BAMFORD in account with WATER DEPARTMENT.

DR.

Cash on hand Jan 1909.....		\$ 1464 27
To amounts received:—		
Water rates	\$12035 46	
Notes	5000 00	
Hydrants	1836 00	
Refund, Electric Light Department	233 02	
Miscellaneous water rates	97 39	
Service construction	43 86	
Insurance dividends	57 50	
Sale of junk	28 00	
Sale of hay at basin	15 00	
Telephone	5 20	
Use of pump	5 00	
Sundries	25	
	— — — — —	\$19356 68
		<u>\$20820 95</u>

CR.

By paid Commissioners orders '09	\$17186 78	
" " " " '07 & '08	21 33	
Interest on temporary notes	280 00	
Cash on hand Jan 1910	3332 84	
	— — — — —	\$20820 95

UNPAID ORDERS.

No. 204, 1908	\$ 3 60	
No. 329, 1908	50	
No. 151, 1909	75	
No. 190, 1909	1 25	
No. 322, 1909	2 77	
No. 326, 1909	50	
No. 327, 1909	60	
No. 330, 1909	05	
Total unpaid orders,	— — — — —	\$ 10 02

ELECTRIC LIGHT DEPARTMENT.

CONSTRUCTION EXPENSES.

The following bills have been paid for new construction during the year 1909, and are in addition to the amounts paid to Jan. 1, 1909.

ELECTRIC LINES.

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
John H Clarke	labor	\$ 416 60
Harry Sheppard	"	255 00
Stanley Roper	"	1 50
Geo Brown	"	2 00
Everett Smith	"	6 00
Mallard & Harris	express and freight	25 55
Thos Smith	labor	4 00
J W Goodhue	supplies	57 85
Tougas & Tougas	"	06
Ipswich Mills	labor	4 89
J N Crowe	ladder	3 00
Jackson Ex Co	express	19 94
Geo Black	labor	3 00
A H Plouff	supplies	8 10
John Minnehan	labor	6 55
D A Grady	teams	13 00
A Sullivan	labor	1 00
Ed Davis	"	4 00
Water Dept., Town	work on engine	233 02
A L Brown	supplies	60

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
A I Savory	supplies	\$ 8 70
John Sullivan	labor	13 00
Fred Buzzell	"	43 50
J H Lakeman	paint	10 00
Gordon Player	labor	23 33
Edward Martelle	"	17 33
Jos Martelle	"	14 22
Clarence Dupray	"	64 50
Wm White	"	1 00
T F Cogswell & Co	supplies	1 17
Carl Copp	labor	8 00
Thos G Gauld	teaming	1 00
Peoples Ex	express	25
C L Stevens & Co	labor	40
Geo E Safford	horse	8 00
Thos Seahill	labor	40
S F Canney	lumber	50
John Durand	labor	65
Pettingell Andrews Co	wire and supplies	1964 46
Gen Elec Co	transformers, meters & supplies	800 52
TEAM EXPENSE		
C F Chapman	supplies for team	\$ 35 51
J A King	labor	26 35
Jere Davison	"	2 55
Wm A Spiller	repairs	17 25
H M Purinton	labor	22 05
B J Conley	supplies	1 20
J R Richards	"	2 30
James Kinnear	horse	75 00
Highway Dept	board of horse	177 84
Total		\$4406 64

SUMMARY.

DR.	CONSTRUCTION ACCOUNT, 1909.		CR.
To bal Dec 31. '08	\$ 90 97	By bills paid '09	\$4496 42
To sale of notes	2000 00	By refund B & M	10 82
To depreciation app	1290 00		
To Premiums	106 33		
To cash from jobbing acct	909 12		
	<u>\$4407 24</u>		<u>\$4407 24</u>

COST OF CONSTRUCTION TO JAN. 1, 1910.

	Dec. 31, 1908	Year 1909	'Total
Cost of Real Estate	\$ 3998 64		\$ 3998 64
Cost of Steam Plant.....	4966 27	\$ 233 02	5199 29
Cost of Electric Lines	38124 96	4263 40	42288 36
Cost of Electric Plant.....	4653 52		4653 52
	<u>\$51743 39</u>	<u>\$4496 42</u>	<u>\$56139 81</u>

DR.	NOTE ACCOUNT.		CR.
To outstanding notes Jan 1 '09	\$43500 00	By note No 6. paid By bal notes outstand- ing Jan 1, 1910	\$ 500 00 45000 00
To notes authorized in '09	2000 00		
	<u>\$45500 00</u>		<u>\$45500 00</u>

MANAGER'S REPORT.

To the Water and Municipal Lighting Commissioners:
Gentlemen:

I submit the following report of the receipts and expenses of the Lighting Plant for the year 1909.

MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT.

BILLS PAID.

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
LABOR.		
Edmund Russell	engineer	\$ 1092 00
Geo H Fall	"	978 94
Everett Guilford	fireman	752 90
Enoch Olmstead	"	781 80
John H Clarke	labor	376 95
Harry Sheppard	"	259 80
Robert Spencer	"	10 00
John Singer	"	10 37
Gordon Player	"	10 00
Wm Garrette Jr	"	10 00
Thos Roberts	"	5 50
Clarence Dupray	"	1 75
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		\$4290 01

FUEL.

Wm A Jepson	coal	\$ 1413 35
Geo W Pickering	"	1329 71
C C Caldwell	"	27 15
Atkinson Coal Co	"	89 89
B & M R R Co	freight on coal	1127 62
Mallard & Harris	teaming coal	81 00
James Sheppard	"	158 15
Allan W Brown	"	195 21
Wile Bros	"	13 50
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		\$4435 58

MISCELLANEOUS.

C W Chesterton	supplies	\$ 6 24
N E Tel & Tel Co	telephone	24 17
E R Smith	supplies	1 20

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
Hudson Belt Co	belt dressing	\$ 1 25
Westchester Ins Co	insurance	9 37
Cotton & Woolen Ins Co	"	100 00
Chronicle Pub Co	printing	37 96
Geo P Anderson	supplies	10 59
Am Ex Co	express	2 20
Hinds & Coon	packing waste etc	70 23
B F Sturtevant & Co	repairs on engine	27 50
A G Osborne	oil	187 68
Geo E Marsh	supplies	10 00
W E Lord	"	1 82
W E Prescott	"	10
Kent & Winch	"	4 50
Pettingell Andrews & Co	lamps & supplies	80 00
Wm H Rand	sal as commissioner	100 00
Geo A Schofield	" "	100 00
Geo H W Hayes	" "	100 00
Geo A Schofield	sal manager & clerk	260 00
Chas W Bamford	sal as treasurer	50 00
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		\$1184 75
Total maintenance expense.....		\$9910 34

SUMMARY.

DR.	(MAINTENANCE.)	CR.	
To bal Jan 1, '09	\$ 616 04	By bills paid	\$ 9910 34
To cash sale of light	8030 32	Less old bills for light	
" " power	1500 00	1908	1562 65
" appropriation		Bal in favor of dept	1579 84
for maintenance	1500 00		
To cash rent of poles	116 60		
" ins dividends	78 80		
" due sale light	1211 07		
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	\$13052 83		\$13052 83

INSIDE WIRING DEPARTMENT.

PAID TO	FOR WHAT	AMOUNTS
John H Clarke	labor	\$ 266 80
Harry Sheppard	"	185 70
McKenney & Waterbury Co	fixtures	244 12
Am Ex Co	express	2 70
Jackson Ex Co	"	9 15
J W Goodhue	supplies	3 42
S F Canney	lumber	86
Edw C Lewis	fixtures	15 00
Robert Spencer	labor	2 25
Gordon Player	"	2 00
Thos Roberts	"	6 00
Pettingell Andrews Co	fixtures & supplies	952 61
Gen Elec Co	lamps & supplies	248 94
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		\$1939 55

SUMMARY.

DR.	INSIDE WIRING	DEPARTMENT.	CR.
To cash received for		By bills paid	\$1939 55
labor and materials	\$1627 92	By 1908 bills due	
To bills due for labor		Jan. 1, 1909	443 75
and material	791 68	By balance in favor of	
To balance profits to		department	1832 33
Jan. 1, 1909	1796 03		
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	\$4,215 63		\$4,215 63

It will be seen that the profit for the year 1909 from these two departments (sale of light and inside wiring) is as follows :

Profit sale of light.....	\$ 963 80
Profit inside wiring.....	36 30
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	\$1000 10

All bills for coal used to Jan. 1, 1910 also for labor, repairs, supplies, meters, transformers, wire, etc. etc. have been paid.

The following supplies are on hand and have been paid for:

Inventory (construction department).....	\$ 839 51
“ (inside wiring department).....	508 40

\$1347 91

The value of the above stock is a credit in addition to the cash credit taken in the foregoing tables

The entire appropriation made by the town this year for running the plant was \$1500. It was also voted that the department could use the balance from last year. The following table will show the cost of lighting the 782 street lights for 1909:

	DR.	
To balance Jan. 1, 1909, (sale of light)		\$ 616 04
" " (Jobbing Dept)		1796 03
To appropriation for maintenance 1909		1500 00
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		\$ 3912 07

	CR.	
By balance Jan. 1, 1910, (sale of light)	\$1579 84	
" " " (Jobbing Dept)	1832 03	
	<u> </u>	\$ 3411 87

Cost of maintenance for 1909.....	\$ 500 20
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The above sum divided by 782, the number of street lights, gives 63 cents, as the cost for each light for one year.

If the interest and depreciation be added we have the following cost :

Balance of maintenance as above.....	\$ 500 20
Interest paid.....	1780 00
Depreciation Fund.....	1290 00

Total.....	\$3570 20
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This would mean that after adding to the cost of the street lights every possible item, that the 782 street lights in Ipswich cost for 1909, \$4.57 each for the year.

The number of services in use Dec. 31, 1908 was 195, and Dec. 31, 1909, 218, a gain of 23 services in 1909.

The following table shows the class of service for the two years:

	1908	1909
Dwelling.....	80	91
Stores.....	53	57
Offices	17	14
Mills and Shops.....	21	27
Stables.....	10	14
Halls	9	9
Churches.....	2	2
Hotels	3	4
	<hr/> 195	<hr/> 218

The total for light sold for 1909 was..... \$7678 74

The total for light sold for 1908 was..... 7510 34

Increase for 1909..... \$168 40

In the last report, I recommended that a reduction be made in the price to consumers and the recommendation was approved by the Board. The price paid per Kilowatt hour for the first few years was 15 cents. This was reduced to 12 cents, and during 1909 a further reduction was made in the shape of a discount of ten percent on all bills paid on or before the 20th day of the month. This went into effect Sept. 1, 1909. The discount reduces the price to ten and four-fifths cents per Kilowatt hour, which is a very low rate. In spite of this reduction there was an increase of \$168.40 in the sales over the sales of the previous year, which shows that there was a healthy growth in the business.

A second recommendation, made in last year's report, has been adopted and the work completed. I refer to the rearrangement of the wiring system so as to distribute the load more equally on the two phases of the dynamos, and to make it possible to divide the street light load into two parts. The work was done by the men in our department and has been of great advantage, enabling us to care for the constantly increasing commercial load far better than formerly.

I am pleased to be able to point out at the close of 1909, that the plant has been a success. A study of the various tables of the receipts and expenditures, gives ample proof that such is the fact. That it has been a success, is due to the fact that the Com-

mission and the employees of the department have worked faithfully for the interests of the Town. Politics or political considerations have had no place in the work. An honest attempt has been made to deal with the work as a business proposition, and no member of the Commission has attempted in any way to hamper the work, or to do anything to interfere with an honest business administration. To the Manager of a plant of this kind, that means a great deal, and I take this opportunity of thanking my fellow commissioners, and the employees of the department, and to express the hope that the citizens will continue to keep the selection of commissioners out of politics, to the end that the plant may continue to prosper.

Respectfully submitted,
Geo. A. Schofield, Manager.

COMMISSIONERS' REPORT.

To the Citizens of Ipswich:
Gentlemen,

The Commissioners submit their sixteenth annual report, for the year ending Dec. 31, 1909.

WATER DEPARTMENT.

The figures published in the various tables in connection with the receipts and expenditures of the Water Department, show that the success of former years has been continued and that the plant has had a very successful year.

During the year three extensions of the mains have been made, at a cost of \$3060.65. The cost per foot, was 91.7 cents.

The work, started last year, of replacing the old pipe system, at the station with new, has been completed this year.

During the past year, we have heard rumors, that real estate agents had been making offers for water rights along Bull Brook. The control of those rights is an important matter for the town, as in the near future it may be advisable to develop the water power for the purpose of generating electricity for day service for the electric light plant. We recommend that the Commissioners be authorized to make a full investigation of the matter, and to report to the town, with recommendation as to what action they believe will be for the town's interest.

We estimate the receipts for 1910 to be \$15000.00 and the disbursements \$14,971.99 as follows: Sinking Fund \$3671.99, Maintenance \$3500.00, Services \$1000., Interest \$6800.00.

ELECTRIC LIGHT DEPARTMENT.

The report of the Manager, as to the condition of the de-

partment, speaks for itself. We can only add, that the success of the past six years cannot only be duplicated in succeeding years, but an even larger measure of success seems likely. The neighboring town of Rowley has passed the necessary votes to enable it either to establish a plant, or to purchase electricity from Ipswich. Our department has legislative authority to sell electricity to Rowley. We have been in consultation with the Rowley committee and, after careful consideration, have found that not only can Rowley get its current cheaper from Ipswich than in any other way, but that owing to the fact that our plant must be enlarged soon to take care of our constantly increasing commercial demand. Ipswich can also derive benefit from securing Rowley as a customer. In short, each town can be of help to the other. As the final action as to appropriation, and also the extent of the lines in Rowley, is to be taken at their annual town meeting, we are not yet in a position to state the amount which will be needed for new construction this year. For that reason, we will ask you to receive our recommendation at the annual meeting, when we hope to be able to place the matter before you in detail.

Respectfully submitted,

George A. Schofield,
William H. Rand,
Geo. H. W. Hayes,

} Municipal Water
and Electric Light
Commissioners.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

CHARLES W. BAMFORD, Treasurer, in account with the Electric Light Department, Town of Ipswich.

Balance Jan. 1909, DR. \$ 445 93

To amounts received :—

Commercial lighting	\$ 7761 04
Lighting Town buildings	269 28
Inside wiring	1627 92
Power	1500 00
Appropriations—Depreciation	1290 00
Maintenance	1500 00
Interest	1800 00
Note	500 00
Notes	2000 00
Premium on notes	103 00
Accrued interest	3 33
Rent of poles	116 60
Insurance dividends	78 80
Boston & Maine R. R. refund	10 82
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	\$ 18560 79
	\$ 19006 72

CR.

By paid	
Commissioners' orders 1908	\$ 18 48
Commissioners' orders 1909	16238 05
Interest on loan	1780 00
Note No. 6 ..	500 00
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	\$ 18536 53
Balance Jan. 1910	470 19
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	\$ 19006 72

The Treasurer has for collection the following amounts :

For light	\$ 1211 07
For jobbing	791 68
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	\$ 2002 75

All orders on the books are paid.

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

I certify that I have examined the accounts of the Clerk, of the Water and Electric Light Commissioners and Treasurer, and find them correct and to agree.

I have also examined the different securities and Deposit books which comprise the sinking fund and found them correct, making the total sinking fund \$48,980.68

I wish to report the manner in which the various departments of the town have been handled the past year, the carefulness in which the sinking fund has been invested, the manner in which the Treasurer has kept his accounts of the various departments. I have kept a ledger account of the orders drawn on the Town for my own personal benefit, have balanced with the Treasurer each month and in no case have we disagreed.

ARTHUR H. WALTON, Auditor.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

Ipswich, Mass., Feb. 15, 1910.

To the citizens of the Town of Ipswich:—

Your Finance Committee recommend the following appropriations for the several departments for the ensuing year.

BOARD OF HEALTH asked for 1910—\$1500, as follows

Sanitary inspection	\$ 600	Meat inspection	\$ 300
Medical attendance	200	Medicines & chemicals	50
Clerk's salary	50	Other ex. of the dept.	300

We recommend \$1500.

Expenditures of this dept. for five years have been as follows

1905	1906	1907	1908	1909
\$749.37	\$1180.54	\$1404.54	\$1312.15	\$1545.93

SCHOOL DEPT. asked for 1910—\$20,700, as follows

Salaries	\$ 12500	Care school buildings	\$ 1100
Fuel	1200	Rent	1920
Transportation	700	Text books & supplies	1400
Repairs	500	Incidentals	680
School physician	200	School supt.	500

We recommend \$20,550.

Expenditures of this dept. for five years have been as follows.

1905	1906	1907	1908	1909
\$17,323.95	\$17,823.00	\$18,852.62	\$20,349.42	\$19,852.87

The School Committee ask for an increase in salary of \$100 for the School Superintendent and of \$50 for the School Physician which the Finance Committee do not recommend. The Supt. for 1909 has also been and is now the principal of the High school with a total salary of \$1900 and rent of Master's house.

The School Physician received in 1907, \$100; '08, \$150; '09, \$150.

We find that Ipswich at the present time is paying the School Physician as much as other communities of much larger school population than Ipswich. In addition to the above appropriation there are the receipts for Tuition and Dog Licenses which the School Committee has assured the Finance Com. will be carried as a balance to be turned into the Town Treasury at the end of the year.

FINANCE AND SCHOOL COMMITTEE'S ROOM.

We recommend a sum not exceeding \$150 for the repairing and furnishing of the room in Town Hall occupied by the Finance and School Committees.

CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS asked for 1910—\$1500

Water service and repairs	\$ 50 00
Extension of water pipes on South of Highland Cem.	75 00
Gravel and hauling for roads and paths	100 00
Stone steps for Old North Cem.	150 00
Laying out of lots on north side of Highland Cem.	20 00
Resetting old stones	25 00
Repairs on Receiving Tombs	25 00
Painting Tool House Highland Cem.	20 00
Tools	25 00
Signs for Cemeteries	15 00
New plans of Highland and Locust Grove	8 00
Loam and dressing	25 00
Shrubs, Bulbs and Plants	100 00
Repairing wall Linebrook Cem.	20 00
Labor	850 00
Incidentals	50 00
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	1548 00

While the Commissioners asked for \$1500 their schedule called for \$1548 and the Finance Committee recognized that the items in the schedule were proper and needed expenditures and therefore recommend \$1550.

Expenditures of this dept. for five years have been as follows.

1905	1906	1907	1908	1909
1866.40	2274.07	1797.62	1434.95	1763.00

WATER DAPARTMENT

We recommend

For Sinking Fund	3671.99	For Hydrant service	1860.00
These are fixed charges.			

TOWN FARM

We recommend—\$1000.00

The expense to the Town of the Farm for the last five years has been as follows.

1905	1906	1907	1908	1909
1243.85	1158.40	913.63	1063.20	1423.94

OUTSIDE POOR

We recommend \$2500.

The expense to the Town of this department for the last five years follows :

1905	1906	1907	1908	1909
3720.96	4117.83	4420.99	3341.36	4228.57

ELECTRIC LIGHT DEPARTMENT.

We recommend :

For note payment \$1000. Depreciation \$1366.41. Interest \$1680.
These are fixed charges.

PARK DEPT. asked for 1910 — 350.00 and we recommend the same.

Expenditures of this dept. for five years have been as follows.

1905	1906	1907	1908	1909
277.46	330.01	328.81	349.26	355.12

TREE WARDEN asked for 1910—\$500.00 and we recommend the same. Expenditures of this dept. for five years have been as follows

1905	1906	1907	1908	1909
865.76	357.72	103 47	168.07	407.38

FIRE DEPT. asked for 1910—\$3,800 as follows.

Torrent Co, 20 men	\$ 310 00	Coal, 40 tons	\$ 300 00
Hose 1, Steamer 1, 14 men	350 00	Care of fire alarm	100 00
Hose 2, 10 men	250 00	Electric Light	91 20
steward	20 00	Repairs fire alarm	158 38
Gen. Sutton H & L, 14 men	350 00	Telephones	48 04
Engineers	115 00	Horse, Hose 2	100 00
Steward Central Station	300 00	New Hose	300 00
Incidentals	1277 38		
Total		3800 00	

We recommend \$3500.

Expenditures of the dept. for five years have been as follows.

1905	1906	1907	1908	1909
2303.05	2290.76	2361.91	3936.95	3546.11

The increase in this dept. is due in part to the additional expense on account of the Central Fire Station.

FEES AND SALARIES,

Selectmen—We recommend \$550. For chairman \$300. Other members \$125. each.

The salaries of the Selectmen have been the same for the past five years.

Assessors—We recommend \$500. For chairmam \$300. Other members \$100 each.

The salaries of the Assessors have been as follows for the past fire years : Chairman \$150. Other members \$75. each, in addition to these amounts the sum of \$60. has been received by the Board for taking census.

The recommendation of the increase of the salaries of the Board of Assessors is based upon the fact that the statutory requirements for the work performed by the board are constantly undergoing changes which increase the labor and detail of the re-

ports and furthermore requires a new tabulation of valuation. This recommendation is made with the understanding that it covers all the work required by the present statutes, including census to be performed by the board.

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

We recommend \$300. For Chairman \$150. Other members \$75 each. The salary has been the same for the last five years.

TOWN CLERK.

We recommend \$250. The salary for the last five years has been \$200 annually.

TREASURER & COLLECTOR.

We recommend \$750. The salary of the Treasurer & Collector for the last five years has been \$600 annually. The Finance Committee, after careful investigation of the salary account as regards Town Treasurer, Collector & Town Clerk, find the following conditions to exist. One official holds all those positions. Total salaries received amount to \$800. Total receipts from all other sources including fees amount to an average of \$400 per annum, making the total receipts of about \$1200. Out of this amount must be provided the salary of an assistant and any other clerical expense needed. The increase of receipts in this department and the enlarged responsibility warrant in our opinion the salary recommended.

AUDITOR.

We recommend \$150. The salary of the Auditor has been the same for the last five years.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

We recommend \$150. The salary of the Board of Health has been the same for the last five years.

HIGHWAYS.

We recommend \$8500 including \$500 for sidewalks. The expenditures of this Dept. for the last five years have been as follows

1905	1906	1907	1908	1909
9072.64	11281.82	14052.66	11218.23	13036.46

You are referred to the Town Report, for the various receipts received by this Dept.

CURRENT EXPENSE.

We recommend \$3000. The expenditures for the last five years have been as follows

1905	1906	1907	1908	1909
1824.46	1691.17	1767.84	2640.46	2626.64

RECOMMENDATIONS.

The Finance Committee made the recommendation last year, that the several departments ask for bids from outside sources, as well as local for the purchase of coal for their departments this recommendation did not materialize in what we consider satisfactory figures. That some of our boards are paying too much for their fuel we positively affirm. The Electric Light and Water departments buy by the car, soft coal of best quality at lowest market price, direct from the mine. The Fire department and School Committee pay \$7.50 per ton, 2000 pounds, to Ipswich dealers. We presume the coal used by the Town Hall and Poor departments cost the same. The Manning School Trustees pay \$7. per ton, 2000 lbs. bought in Ipswich. Individuals have paid \$7. and less for their coal delivered in Ipswich

Coal of first quality, guaranteed sworn weight. ton 2000 lbs on the car, F. O. B. Ipswich could have been delivered last April, nut, stove or egg Lehigh \$5.90. Lackawana \$5.70. At the present date \$6.25 Lehigh, \$6.07 Lackawana, 1-2 of 1 per cent. off for cash, to those prices must be added cost of cartage and delivery, which can be done by the Town teams. Outside the Electric Light and Water depts, the various boards, including the Manning School use a maximum of 400 tons. Equivalent to about 12 cars of 33 tons. Using such a large amount of coal the Town is entitled to buy at the lowest market price. Economically purchased means a large saving to the tax payers. The Finance Committee urge upon the departments to be more diligent in the future in seeking and getting bids from such sources, and at such time in the season as will ensure their fuel at the bottom figure. A community of interests might be arranged whereby a joint purchase could be made for the use of all the departments.

The committee wish to remind the boards, and emphasize the fact that monies recommended and appropriated for specific uses, as covered by the departments requisitions, cannot legitimately be spent for other purposes, and that their reports for the ensuing year, must detail and show the money so expended. The total expenditures of a department must not exceed the amount appropriated for its use. The Finance Committee in making the above recommendations have done so after a careful study of each department and they believe they have been just to all, as well as to the taxpayers in such recommendations. We are grateful at the favorable attitude taken by your various boards in their appearance before our committee, and the favorable disposition on their part to give us all the required information as to the working of their departments and the expenditure of the taxpayers money.

Chas. A. Olson, Secretary.

Henry Brown, Chairman

Annual Report

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School Committee

....OF THE....

Town of Ipswich



For the Year 1909

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1910

School Committee



CHARLES G. HULL.....	Term	Expires	1910
GEORGE E. MACARTHUR.....	“	“	1910
JOHN H. COGSWELL.....	“	“	1911
HARRIET E. NOYES.....	“	“	1911
GEORGE H. W. HAYES.....	“	“	1912
GEORGE W. TOZER.....	“	“	1912

Organization.



GEORGE W. TOZER, *Chairman.*

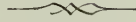
HARRIET E. NOYES, *Secretary.*

JOHN P. MARSTON, *Superintendent.*



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<i>Purchasing Agents</i>	Mr. Cogswell, Mrs. Noyes
<i>Labor Certificate</i>	Mr. G. H. W. Hayes
<i>Truant Officers</i>	Warren Boynton, W. B. Atkinson
<i>Repairs Committee</i>	Mr. Cogswell, Mr. Hayes

General Report.



IN presenting this report to the Citizens of Ipswich, all of whom presumably are interested in our public schools, the committee is following a time-honored custom by which the condition and progress of our schools, their successes and their failures, their defects and their excellencies, are brought to the knowledge of all. In so doing the committee desires to tell "a plain unvarnished tale" which "he who runs may read." Conditions may be stated; results can not be expressed either in words or figures. It is only as the boys and girls of today become the active, intelligent, thinking, men and women of the future that true values can be reckoned. In early colonial days education used to begin with the University or College and work down; now it begins with the lower grades and works up. The old idea was that education is for the training of leaders; the new bases its energies upon the training of the whole people, and lays its foundations, broad and deep and strong, in our primary schools. Horace Mann once said, "One right former is worth a thousand reformers," a principle which is especially applicable to the lower grades of our school system. Dr. Arnold of Rugby defined the functions of the school as "a place, first for the formation of character; and next a place of learning and study as a means to this high end." Reading, writing, arithmetic, grammar and kindred studies are but tools for use. What one is, is far more important than what he can recite. Aaron Burr, it is said, was a brilliant student of history, but it did not make him loyal, if history is to be believed. The chief

corner stone of the educational structure is laid in the primary schools; the corner stone of habit; the habit of prompt attendance and of obedience to authority; the habit of truth and honesty; the habit of courtesy and loyalty; the habit of morizing and reciting; the habit of doing ones best. Along with this comes to the child the learning how to study and how to think for himself. Habits formed in these primary schools are the habits that are likely to last through life, and therefore we reiterate, habit is the corner stone of education and of life. Boys who have walked our Ipswich streets have become eminent as jourists, strong in pulpit power, or have attained high rank in the commercial world; girls have become women whose life has been devoted to teaching and to the uplift of humanity; and they have been the boys and girls whose habits were begun under the care and discipline of a "right former", so that there has been no need of their being made over by a "reformer."

With this thought underlying our report, the committee feels justified in stating emphatically, that during the past year our schools, as a whole, have done satisfactory work. While we have no thought of announcing that the millennium in school work actually has begun, we can confidently assert that, notwithstanding untoward and unexpected changes,- there has been all along the line from Primary grades to High School,- a stronger impetus to excellence in teaching and improvement in scholarship. Without special-izing individual teachers or schools, which sometimes savors of injustice, we say that the year has brought many successes, although a few of the teachers have been working under adverse conditions.

The school year begins in September and ends in June. The fiscal year, which the school report covers, is from January 1 to December 31. This necessitates a report including the closing half of one year and the opening half of another, a condition not altogether satisfactory.

Teachers.

From January to June of 1909 there were few changes in the teaching force - the principal ones being in the ninth grade where Miss Varney after one month's work as assistant was taken ill and was succeeded by Miss Grace Holden, who resigned in May to be followed by Miss Ruth Adams. At Linebrook Miss Charlotte Burnham was succeeded by Miss Managhan. Notwithstanding these changes everything moved on in the usual routine, and at the close of the school year in June, it was acknowledged by committee and superintendent that a commendable advance had been made and that teachers and pupils had earned the right to the summer's rest.

With September the committee's troubles began. With the exception of Miss Ruth Adams, who was transferred from ninth grade to High school, the corps of teachers of the preceding year had been elected and had accepted their several positions when the schools opened it was found that, numerically, the several grades had changed greatly and that the Fifth grade rooms were full to overflowing; the Sixth Grade was nearly as crowded; while the higher grades with the exception of the ninth, had fewer pupils than usual. Although contrary to the wishes of the committee, it was found necessary to double up the grades in several rooms. This has made extra work for the teachers in these rooms, but the good spirit with which this extra labor was assumed by the majority of the toilers, was commendable.

In October troubles increased. Resignations were received from Miss Carrie E. Baker, assistant in the High school and from Miss Nina Low, of the Winthrop school, Grade VI. Miss Baker was succeeded by Miss Edith R. Macurdy of Watertown, a graduate of Radcliffe; Miss Low's place was ably filled by transferring Miss L. Maude Schofield from

Grades III and IV at the Burley to the vacancy at the Winthrop. This necessitated other changes and as Miss Carrie Black resigned the last of the month, there was a general upheaval. Miss Elsie Johnson was transferred from the Wainwright to the Burley and Miss Elsie C. Green elected to the Wainwright; Miss Clara Managhan of the Linebrook school was put in charge of Grades I and II at the Dennison where Miss Black had taught, and Miss Helen Perley was elected to the Linebrook school. In November, Miss Ratsey, the efficient supervisor of drawing resigned her position to accept a similar one at Wheaton Seminary. So far no successor has been elected. Early in October Miss E. M. Adams principal of the Winthrop school, was obliged to ask leave of absence on account of the serious illness of her father. Her place is still being satisfactorily filled by Miss Anna Hartford of Gloucester. At this time also it became imperative to elect an assistant for the Ninth grade where Miss Arthur was in charge of 60 pupils, and Mrs. Grace E. Phillips was elected and has been doing acceptable work. When school work can go on almost without interruption in the face of such changes and disconcerting circumstances, there must be some strong, latent power in the Ipswich system.

One word should be said in regard to the resigning of teachers at any and all times when convenient to themselves. The tacit understanding when a teacher accepts a position is that she accepts for the school year. To resign for any cause except illness borders on the dishonorable. To guard against such inconveniences the committee is considering seriously some form of contract, (as is used in other towns and cities), by which, in case of resignation, a certain portion of salary shall be forfeited. The teachers, as a rule resign to take "better positions." Supposing the tables were turned and the committee should say to a teacher, without any previous warning, "We have secured a better teacher

than you; we shall need you no longer," what then would happen?

The School Physician.

"Mens sana in corpore sano,"—a sound mind in a sound body,—is the slogan of the modern educator. Dr. Macarthur has been vigilant in his office of school physician. His report deserves careful reading. The work which he is soon to inaugurate will be of great benefit to pupil and parent.

Superintendent.

With the end of the school year Mr. Robert M. Martin closed his conscientious labors as superintendent of our public schools, the committee feeling confident that a citizen of our own town, one who would be familiar with the people, the homes, the existing conditions, and whatever else should be known to a successful superintendent, should be elected to the position. After due deliberation such a citizen was found, and the results of the work since the opening of the schools in September show decidedly that the committee made no mistake when they elected Prof. John P. Marston as superintendent of schools. Mr. Marston has brought to his new work a quiet enthusiasm, if such an expression is permissible, which has aroused a like spirit in the whole corps of teachers. For the first time in several years a regular course of study, covering the years work in each grade has been made out by the superintendent, and cannot fail of bringing about more uniform results in our lower grades. Heretofore there has been a leak in the system somewhere between the second and fifth grades so that pupils entering this grade have in many cases not been up to the standard. This, perhaps, has been due to the lack of a systematic course rather than the fault of any particular teacher. It is

believed that, the new course will remedy this defect. Teachers in similar grades are "putting their heads together" to make their work more uniform. It is believed by the committee that the work of the superintendent will be characterized by the same honest, efficient work as has been displayed during his fifteen years as principal of our High school.

Under his supervision the "leak" to which reference has been made is in a fair way to be repaired, and the pupils entering the Fifth Grade to be better prepared for assimilation.

Course of Study.

While we do not publish the course of study as mapped out by our superintendent, we would call the especial attention of the citizens to its merits and design. The course covers practically the same ground as that which has been followed, in a somewhat straggling way, heretofore. It is designed however to be accomplished in eight years instead of nine. It does not eliminate any of the work or the studies of the present so-called system, with the exception of algebra and civil government, which will be relegated to their proper places in the High school. The citizens of the town are asked to look carefully into this change and to be ready at the coming town meeting, to vote upon its adoption or rejection. It should be understood that it simply divides our school work into eight parts instead of nine, the work itself being the same, with the above exceptions. Scholars will enter the High school at the end of the eighth grade with the same preparation that they now have. If any are obliged to remain two years in a grade because they do not reach the standard, they will have a course of nine years instead of ten as at present.

In this connection the committee would like to recommend also doing away with the Graduating exercises of the Grammar school. Indeed, if the change from nine to eight grades is made, it will be a necessity. Citizens generally are asked to consider this matter also, and to be prepared to accept or reject the recommendation.

Our Appropriation and Its Disposal.

Your committee is entrusted with the largest appropriation of any single department of town affairs. Realizing fully the trust, and the responsibilities it brings, the committee has endeavored to expend the money entrusted to their use, in the most judicious manner; to discountenance lavish expenditures and at the same time to keep our schools furnished with all the necessary supplies. No one would like the task of "making bricks without straw," but an organized system of purchasing "straw"—books, papers, pencils, and other necessities;—has been adopted. Instead of one member, or any member of the committee ordering whatever may be asked for by the teachers, a requisition in writing must be sent to the purchasing agents. If the articles asked for require the expenditure of any but a small nominal sum, the agents, in this and in all cases of ordering supplies when a certain amount has been exceeded, must present to the committee a list of books and supplies needed, so that action by the whole board may be taken. In this way each member can have an intelligent knowledge of the amount of money expended and the articles purchased. The secretary also can give upon request the totals of expenditures and balance. This plan which was adopted in June with the new "rules and regulations," has worked well in all respects.

In September the salaries of a few teachers in the primary grades were increased and an attempt made to adjust the payment of teachers on a more equal scale. The committee

has endeavored to expend every dollar of its appropriation with a personal knowledge and interest in its disbursement, and herewith we give an account of our stewardship.

Our actual appropriation was \$20,000. To this has been added an especial appropriation of \$150.00 for salary of school physician, and \$720.00 for payment of Manning school tax. In tabulated form, found a little later in our report, our entire receipts will be found to have amounted to \$21,910.25 our expenditures, \$20,570.12, leaving a balance of \$1,340.13, which speaks for itself.

Schools.

We have eight buildings in which 18 teachers are employed. In the Manning building for which we pay a rental of \$1900. a year, we employ five teachers. two in the ninth grade and three in the High school. We also pay a part of Miss Gardner's salary. Two schools only are ungraded.

As already has been stated the general work of the schools has been characterized by faithful teaching and excellent discipline. Few cases of injustice have been reported and also few cases of insubordination. There has been harmony among the teachers and a spirit of good fellowship has taken the place of the rivalry which in some years has worked against the common good. The school and the home, in nearly every instance, have been complements, each of the other and this relation has been a factor in the year's improvement.

The teaching force at the High school was increased in September by the election of Miss Ruth Adams as a fourth assistant and her work has been very helpful. The fact that the town has received more than \$600.00 for the tuition of pupils from other towns would indicate that our High school is approved and appreciated, and that its work compares favorably with that of other High schools in the state. We can

but echo the statement made year after year, "the school needs the whole building."

Mr. Alfred Moseley, an English educator, is credited with saying, "The American schools graduate their boys into overalls." We wish that statement was more literally true of our schools; that the "sugar plums and the bread and butter of life" could be brought into more close relationship; that education could be brought into real life and real life into education. Scholarship does not mean cramming with information from text books; but becoming able to get knowledge every day and everywhere. Stuart Mills once said, "Education makes a man a more intelligent shoemaker, if that is his occupation, but not by teaching him to make shoes." Let our graduates then include in their fitting for the outer man both the dress suit and the overalls, the dainty gown and the checked apron, if overalls and apron mean that they can apply their education to real use; and for the inner being the fine courtesy, the true honesty, and the high ambition which makes the highest type of an American citizen.

For the first time in several years, the committee has a "local habitation." Through the courtesy of the selectmen a room in the Town House, has been assigned to the use of the superintendent and committee. The committee had several articles of furniture and a desk and chair have been purchased for the superintendent. With a little hygienic reform, which it is hoped will be effected early in the coming year, the new quarters will be both satisfactory and sumptuous. When not in use by the committee, the Finance committee holds its meetings here.

In closing we would call the attention of the citizens to the report of the superintendent, bespeaking kindly and thoughtful consideration for his plans and recommendations. He is "on the inside" and knows what is needed. We take pleasure also in commending the work of Mr. Tozer, the supervisor of music whose report follows.

Herewith is submitted a detailed account of receipts and expenditures.

Respectfully submitted,

Chas. G. Hull
Geo. E. Macarthur
John H. Cogswell
Harriet E. Noyes
Geo. H. W. Hayes
Geo. W. Tozer

School Committee

Receipts and Expenditures.



EXPENDITURES

TEACHERS' SALARIES.

Miss Emma G. Gardner	\$400
“ Alice E. Perkins	606
“ Carrie E. Baker	403 75
“ Ruth Adams	340
“ Edith Macurdy	151 25
“ Isabel Arthur	710
Mrs. Grace Phillips	35
Miss Harriet Varney	20
“ Grace Holden	98
“ E. M. Adams	471
“ K. C. Baker	457 25
“ Nina Low	360
“ Ethel Bagley	450
“ Maude Schofield	426
“ Pauline Ross	136 50
“ Eva A. Willcomb	420
“ Cora H. Jewett	231 25
“ K. Sullivan	620
“ N. T. Sullivan	450
“ Elsie Johnson	370
“ Stella Adams	368
“ A. N. Appleton	409 50
“ Annie Ryan	362
“ Alice Burnham	332

" Helen Tupper	399
" Rosalie Chase	360 10
" Clara Managhan	237 25
" Charlotte Burnham	96
" Cora Smith	4
" Annie Wade	420
" Carrie Black	314
" Elsie C. Green	89 30
" Anna Hartford	78 75
" Helen Perley	64
" Ethel Ratsey	280
Mr. A. H. Tozer	320
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	\$11,301.15

SUPERINTENDENT.

R. M. Martin	\$432
J. P. Marston	133 33
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	\$565 33

OFFICIALS.

G. E. Macarthur—School Physician	\$150
John H. Cogswell— Sec. and Purchasing Agent	86 66
Harriet E. Noyes, — Asst. " "	25
Warren Boynton,—Truant officer	40
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	\$301 66

JANITORS.

J. H. Baker—Winthrop	\$275
F. B. Saunders—Payne & Burley	335
W. H. Kirk Payne 6 mos.	90
S. E. Hayes---Dennison & Wainwright	170

E. L. Darling—Cogswell	\$100
Jos. Johnson—Manning St.	50
Jas. Ryan—Linebrook	36
Cora Jewett---Island	9
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	\$1065 00

TRANSPORTATION.

Ipswich Highway Dept.	\$375
B. & N. Street Railway Co.	300
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	\$675 00

RENT.

Manning School Trustees	\$1900
C. F. Chapman---land Manning St.	20
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	\$1920 00

TAXES.

Manning Sch. tax---by special appropriation	\$720
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FUEL

C. C. Caldwell	\$344 43
J. S. Glover	230 93
T. B. Fall & Son '07-'08-'09.	471 55
Jas. Small	4
Jas. Ryan	5
A. H. Peatfield	10 50
Spencer Gwinn	15
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	\$1081 41

WATER DEPARTMENT.

January	17 03
March	18
April Burley & Winthrop	14 31

July		\$36 37
October		2 75
December	Burley & Winthrop	10 54
		<hr/> 99 00

FURNITURE.

Roll top desk for Supt.	64
Supplies for desk	6 80
A. C. Damon, chairs	3 70
F. R. Schaller, organ	40
	<hr/> \$114 50

EXPRESSING.

American Ex. Co.	\$22 02
Jackson Ex. Co.	15
Mallard and Harris	14 89
	<hr/> \$51 91

REPAIRS.

A. H. Staniford	\$40 43
C. W. Harvey	59 85
M. W. Chadbourne	136 03
B. O. Woodward	185 39
A. H. Plouff	92 68
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins	46 55
S. F. Canney, lumber	29 59
Irving Brown	5 47
J. H. Lakeman (flagstaff work)	17 50
C. L. Stevens & Co.	3
William Webber, plumbing	2 10
H. A. Pickard	4 14
C. S. Tyler (clock)	75
John Wippich (clock)	8 25

Joseph King	2 50
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	\$634 23

BOOKS & SUPPLIES.

American Book Co. Books	\$107 89
D. C. Heath books and supplies	83 54
Edward E. Babb " " "	243 81
Silver, Burdett & Co. books	58 63
J. L. Hammett & Co. supplies	127 48
Ginn & Co. books, music, etc.	227 65
C. F. Winchester books	74 99
Little, Brown & Co.	39 36
L. E. Knott Apparatus Co.	12 04
Allyn Bacon & Co. books	102 01
Houghton, Mifflin & Co. books	18 78
Milton Bradley Co. supplies	3 42
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins	41 71
George F. King & Co. supplies	24
A. H. Osborne & Co. "	6 60
Adams, Cushing & Foster "	38 03
H. R. Guild books	10
Chas E. Merrill "	6 45
C. C. Burchard, music	4 57
Atkinson, Mentzer & Grover books	18 82
Ethel W. Ratsey supplies	8 43
C. W. Thompson music	50
Ipswich Post Office stamps	11 15
Oliver Ditson Co. music	28 19
C. Howard Hunt Pub. Co.	7 50
J. B. Lippincott books	5 40
H. P. Shaw supplies	5
W. R. Jenkins "	3 30
Perry Mason, Co "	2 70
J A Blake "	22 93
D. E. Measures ink etc.	3 10
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	\$1352 33

INCIDENTALS.

Phinotas Chemical Co.	disinfectant	\$18 75
T. D. Whitney	burlap. Burley sch.	4 75
W. C. Henderson	cushions	18
C. L. Chase	floor dressing	27 60
Cash Division	sundries	2 13
J. W. Goodhue	"	29 78
F. T. Goodhue	"	1 55
J. B. Mitchell	cleaning vaults	40
A. G. Lauer	" "	1 50
Fred Witham	census '08	20
E. L. Darling	" "	8
Jas. Damon	" '09 & exp.	27
W. Dupray	use of team	6
Masury Young & Co.	disinfectant	8 10
Howard Blake	labor	1 50
Wm. Story	"	1
Joseph Johnson	"	9 55
Robert Spencer	"	26 69
Chas. Jewett	"	3
Chas. Harvey	"	4 40
Fred Buzzell	"	1
Smith E. Hayes	"	33
F. B. Saunders	"	3 10
Elmer Smith	"	6 65
Jas. Ryan	"	3
J. Frank Perkins	"	6 50
Maynard Russell	"	18 82
H. A. Churchill	"	3 75
W. P. Ross	"	11 50
J. R. Small	"	1
B. J. Conley	crepe paper	2 40
N. E. Telephone Co.		3 65

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D. A. Grady	use of teams	\$4 50
A. P. Hills		35
L. E. Willcomb	'08 '09	2 30
Allen, Totman & Co.	cement	1
Thomas H. Lord	'03 to '10	5 27
Geo. H. Lord	use of plants	3
C. F. Chapman		45
F. R. Schaller	tuning piano	6
W. J. Lefavour	" "	3 50
Mrs. Clara Webber	disinfectant	6 75
G. H. W. Hayes	expenses incurred in Boston	7
G. E. Macarthur	" " " "	7
J. Warren Perkins	teaming	3
Horace Barker	"	1
Perley Bartlett	moving books from Argilla to Burley	2
Town of Hamilton	tuition 2 children	30
		<hr/> \$439 94

PRINTING.

C. G. Hull	Reports	\$80
" " "	stationery for Mr. Marston	7 50
" " "	Graduation programs	85
John E. Hull	Bill folders & Course of study M.H.S.	10 50
" " "	Rules & Regulations	22
Salem News Co.	adv.	2 66
Ipswich Chronicle	notice	1
		<hr/> \$208 66

DIPLOMAS.

Gardner Printing Co.		\$20 25
W. O. Hartshorne	engrossing	14 45
W. E. Lord	ribbon	5 30
		<hr/> \$40 00

RECAPITULATION.



Teachers' salaries	\$11,301 15
Supt. "	565 33
Officials	301 66
Janitors	1065 00
Transportation	675
Rents	1920
Tax special ap.	720
Fuel	1081 41
Repairs	634 23
Water Dept.	99
Furniture	114 50
Expressing	54 91
Books & Supplies	1352 33
Printing	208 66
Diplomas	140
Incidentals	439 94
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	\$20,570.12

RECEIPTS



Appropriation	\$20,000
Special appropriation for M.H.S. tax	720
“ “ “ sch. physician	150
Dog licenses	313 52
Cash refund	3 25
Class of '09 M.H.S.	29 58
Rowley, tuition of pupils	632
Hamilton “ “ “	30
Mrs. Varney “ (Essex)	25
Sale of old books	6 90
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	\$21,910 25
Ex.	20,570 12
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Balance.	\$1340 13

Superintendent's Report.



To the School Committee of the town of Ipswich, Mass.

I hereby submit my annual report for the school year ending December 31, 1909.

During the summer vacation the school houses were thoroughly cleaned and repaired, so that when the schools opened in September, the pupils occupied sanitary buildings. The citizens of the town should feel that the Committee did all that could be done for the better condition of the schools. With few exceptions the buildings offer favorable conditions for a school. The town has a right to know whether its money is expended with good judgment. It has a right to know,—if the present condition of its schools is not satisfactory,—whether a not ample appropriation, or deficient management is the cause.

Our schools should turn out at the end of the highest grade, people who have correct manners, the habit of deciding and doing what is right, a clear conception of the duties of citizens, a desire favorable to good literature, a knowledge of the use of the dictionary and books of reference, an ever abiding self reliance which has come from that peculiar joy that follows success after intense and persistent efforts, and

finally an ability to express intelligently their thoughts.

Without hesitation I state that the school money is expended with economy and good judgment. I do not think that the present appropriation is large enough to make a judicious expenditure. It is a simple business proposition. A mechanic turns out one hundred finished parts of a machine in a day. If he is compelled, with the same equipment, to turn out one hundred and fifty parts in the same time, each part will not have that perfection in finish which the one hundred have. The quality of the machine is not up to the former high standard.

For our schools to turn out a standard quality of work we require two or three more school rooms and two or three more teachers.

It is impossible for a teacher to make as complete preparation for the classes of two grades as for one grade. All teachers daily prepare work for the following day, for of course, no teacher for two successive years, teaches in the same manner.

With this increase in room and in the teaching force, each teacher will teach a single grade and have no greater number of pupils than experience suggests to accomplish best results.

We have a new course of study and now it is possible for each teacher to know how much advance during the year is required. Heretofore there has been no definite plan in their work. In all civic and moral reforms, in commercial and military enterprises, even in football and baseball, some definite plan for action is formulated. Each one has his outlined part assigned. The success of the movement depends upon individual performance of allotted work. Right here in this lack of intelligent concerted action, in my opinion, may be found much wasteful expenditure of work in our schools. It is a stimulus for a teacher to do his best if he has a definite amount of work, and completes it. That

same joy which comes with success, makes him optimistic and self reliant.

The teachers meet once a month and with an enthusiastic interest, outline the work for the following month. All, from the lowest grade to the highest grade teacher, work in perfect harmony for graduating from our schools, that type of scholar before outlined.

The average attendance in the schools of Ipswich, relative to that of other towns in Massachusetts, is very low. The teachers are making great efforts to raise it. The co-operation of parents will greatly assist. It does not seem consistent to support schools and not to compel the attendance of children of the school age.

We expect very satisfactory results in penmanship from the adoption of the Palmer system. Wherever that system has been used a very marked improvement has followed.

As many towns have changed from nine grades to eight grades I suggest that pupils from the eighth grade enter the High school. I think this can be done without detriment by the correlation of studies and by omitting the less essential subjects.

Pupils will be able to graduate from the High school one year earlier.

I hope that Sewing will be introduced soon into the schools, under the direction of a trained teacher. I consider it of much practical value.

In all cases the teachers have maintained discipline in their schools.

If teachers were satisfied with the present condition of schools I, indeed, should lose hope. But all are enthusiastic, faithful and ambitious to do the best work. We have much pleasure in working in harmony with the hope that we will increase the efficiency of our schools.

In the High school, advance for the better has been

made in all respects. At present there are thirty who are preparing to enter normal school or college. One hundred and thirteen have been registered. Miss Edith R. Macurdy teaches History and Political Economy. Miss Ruth Adams teaches Mathematics, Miss Alice E. Perkins teaches Latin, Miss Emma G. Gardner teaches French, German, and English, and the principal teaches the Sciences and Greek. Music was suspended when it became too cold to use the hall.

Mr. Arrhur H. Tozer, the director of music, has done the same thorough work which has always characterized his efforts.

Below are statistics in regard to the number of pupils in the schools.

	BOYS	GIRLS	TOTAL
High School	54	59	113
Grade 9	25	34	59
“ 8	31	20	51
“ 7	20	39	59
“ 6	34	38	72
“ 5	64	50	114
“ 4	42	58	100
“ 3	46	42	88
“ 2	52	33	85
“ 1	81	54	135
	<hr/> 449	<hr/> 427	<hr/> 876

In recapitulation I suggest that pupils go from the eighth grade to the High school; that no teacher have more than forty pupils; that we introduce instruction in sewing into the schools; and that we increase the number of school rooms as soon as practicable, and replace the desks in the High school with adjustable desks. I also think it wise to appropriate, annually, for each school room, five dollars, for the purpose of buying supplementary reading books, or reference books.

It has been a great pleasure to be associated with the teachers in our efforts to teach effectively, and I wish to state that I am greatly indebted to you for your manifest interest and intelligent suggestions, and to the Manning Trustees for their great aid.

Most respectfully,

JOHN P. MARSTON

Superintendent of Schools.

Report of the School Physician.



To the School Committee of the Town of Ipswich:

I submit herewith my report as School Physician for the year 1909.

The general health of the school children has been good the past year. There have been two or three instances where incipient cases of contagious disease have been found in the schools, but prompt isolation of these cases, together with prompt and thorough disinfection of the schoolhouses where they were found, prevented an epidemic, and the work of disinfection was so performed that there was no loss of time to the schools.

Most of the school houses are in first class sanitary condition, and to this fact is due in a large measure, the general good health that has prevailed among the pupils.

In view of the fact that small-pox has made its appearance in Wakefield, Reading and Haverhill, necessitating the closing of the Public Schools in Wakefield, it should be a source of satisfaction to the people of Ipswich to know that the children in our schools are very generally protected by vaccination. There are a few that for one reason and another have not been vaccinated, but they are all accounted for by the exemption certificates and otherwise. It is a safe prediction that in no town of the commonwealth are the school children better protected against small-pox than in Ipswich, and should a case occur in our own town the Board of Health is prepared to take instant action.

The teachers have taken a great interest in the health of the children and have been quick to notify the school physician of anything that seemed to need his attention.

There is one thing that ought to be done which is outside what the law actually requires in the way of medical inspection; that is to have an examination of all children to determine whether tuberculosis or other diseases exist in an incipient form, and this work the school physician is about to begin with the advice and consent of the committee. Records of such examinations will be of value to the committee, the Board of health and to the school physician, whoever he may be. Should any cases of tuberculosis be discovered they can be segregated, and an open-air school room provided where they may be taught as is done in some other places, and such segregation would remove from the other pupils, probability of infection.

Respectfully submitted, ,

GEORGE E. MACARTHUR

School Physician.

Music Report.



To the Superintendent of the Public Schools,

Ipswich, Mass.

Dear Sir:

During the past year, the music in the public schools has been very satisfactorily taught by the different teachers, and the work seems to be progressing. By the introduction of Newton's "Music in the Public Schools," the teachers have an invaluable assistant. It plans the work for an eight years course of study and special attention is paid to vocal drills, breathing exercises, etc.

I strongly advise that a certain amount of time be devoted each day to music in the High School. Owing to inadequate heating apparatus that exists at present in the building where singing must be taken up, no music is possible for the scholars. With next year, if a change of grades is accomplished, a pupil will have no singing after he leaves grade eight. This hardly seems right, as one is just beginning to understand this study at that time, when he must drop it. Again I would advise that something be

done whereby music can be taken in the High School.

I would also suggest that the "Introductory Sight Singing Melodies" be given to all scholars in grades one and two, as the course of study adopted seems to necessitate this.

I take this opportunity to heartily thank all who have so greatly assisted me in my past year's work.

Very respectfully,

ARTHUR H. TOZER

Supervisor of Music.

Truant Officer's Report.



To the Superintendent of Schools.

Ipswich, Mass.

Dear Sir:

I am pleased to report that I made thirty-three calls on absent pupils during the year 1909. I found some absent as truants, some for want of proper clothing, but the most of them were absent because of sickness.

I am grateful to the School Board, the superintendent, and the teachers for their support.

Respectfully,

WARREN BOYNTON.

Truant Officer

Truant Officer's Report.



Ipswich, Feb. 1, 1910.

To the School Committee of Ipswich:

I herewith submit my report as truant officer for the past two months:

Complaints received from teachers	12
Returned to school	3
Investigated and reported to teachers	9

Yours respectfully,

WESLEY B. ATKINSON

Truant Officer.

APPENDIX.

Graduation Exercises

OF THE

MANNING HIGH SCHOOL

Thursday, June 24, 1909.

Programme.

March..... *Orchestra*

Invocation..... *Rev. H. S. Smith*

Salutatory..... *Theresa F Littlefield*

“The Chivalry of the Twentieth Century.”

Oration..... *Warren E. Grant*

“Flying Machines.”

Music..... *Orchestra*

Oration..... *Reginald A. Fellows*

“Brutus and Cassius, a Contrast.”

Class History..... *Blanche M. Lemieux*

Music..... *Orchestra*

Oration..... *William E. Reilly*

“Character, the Basis of Credit.”

Essay..... *Helene A. Wippich*

“Books, the Medicine of the Mind.”

Valedictory..... *Francis G. Ross*

“Growth”

Awarding of Diplomas.....	<i>Geo. W. Tozer, Chairman</i>
Benediction.....	<i>Rev H. S. Smith</i>
Music.....	<i>Orchestra</i>

“NON VICTORIA SINE LABORE”

Class of 1909

....ENGLISH COURSE....

Reginald Fellows, Blanche Lemieux, Warren Grant
 Theresa Littlefield, William Reilly

....CLASSICAL COURSE....

Francis Ross

Helene Wippich.

Graduation Exercises

OF THE

Manning Grammar School

Wednesday, June 23, 1909.

Programme

Piano Solo.....	<i>Winifred Flemming</i>
Invocation.....	<i>Rev. A. B. Gifford</i>
Singing.....	<i>School</i>
Fairies Moonlight Dance.	
Salutatory and Composition.....	<i>Olga Edwardson</i>
"June"	
Recitation.....	<i>John Reddy</i>
"The American Boy."	
Composition.....	<i>Helene Robinson</i>
"A Day in Cuttyhunk."	
Solo.....	<i>Marion Buck</i>
"Fleeting Days"	
Composition.....	<i>Helen Webber</i>
"How I Would Spend One Hundred Dollars."	
Recitation.....	<i>Edith Elwell</i>
"The Schoolmaster"	
Singing.....	<i>School</i>
"Legend of the Bells."	

Composition.....	<i>Philip Danforth</i>
"Thomas Edison"	
Recitation.....	<i>Mary Wade</i>
"Evangeline",	
Singing	<i>Chorus</i>
"Gaily We're Tripping"	
Composition.....	<i>Annie Bailey</i>
"The Inchcape Rock."	
Recitation	<i>Emily Hull</i>
"Lord Ullin's Daughter"	
Singing	<i>School</i>
"Morn Rise"	
Composition and Valedictory	<i>Leander Hills</i>
"The United States Navy"	
Singing.....	<i>Solo and Chorus</i>
"Good-night, Farewell"	
Presentation of Diplomas	
Singing of Class Song	
Benediction.....	<i>Rev. A. B. Gifford</i>

Class of 1909, Manning Grammar School.

Vivian G. Atkinson
Marion A. Buck
Lurline G. Cameron
Frank W. Dondero
Theodore R. Farley
Raymond L. Grady
Walter H. Hurlbert
Clayton M. Jewett
Everett A. Lang
Lawrence W. Littlefield
Alice G. Littlefield
George E. Matheson
Maude S. Melvin
Henry P. Quill
Chester Scahill
Ruth M. Stockwell

Anna E. D. Augur
Lester Bailey
Forrest R. Cummings
Gertrude B. Dorr
Percy L. Glover
Harold K. Haskell
Hazen R. Irvine
Russell W. Johnson
George A. Lemieux
Mildred F. Lockhart
Cynthia W. Leet
Alfretta M. Mayes
Joseph F. Perkins
Lionel Sheppard
John J. Stockwell
Francis A. Williams

Emma L. Woodbury.

School Calendar.

Present Year.—Present term began January 3 and will close March 25. Summer term will begin April 4 and will close Thursday, June 23.

Next School Year.—First term 16 weeks, begins Wednesday September 7, and closes Thursday, December 22. Second term, twelve weeks, begins January 2, and closes March 24, 1911. Third term, 12 weeks, begins April 3 and closes June 22, (?) 1911.

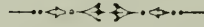
School Sessions.—High School: One session each week day except Saturday, from 8:30 A. M. to 1:30 p. m. Other schools two sessions each week day: From April to October inclusive from 9 to twelve A. M. and 1:30 to 4 o'clock P. M. From November to March, inclusive, from 9 to 12 A. M. and from 1.30 to 3:45 P. M.

Holidays.—Thanksgiving Day and the day following: February 22, April 19 and May 30.

No School Signal.—During the months of November to April inclusive, should the weather on any day be so unfavorable as to be detrimental to the health of the pupils to attend school the no-school signal will be blown as follows; two blasts of the fire alarm at 8 o'clock will indicate no session in grades I to IV inclusive. Four blasts at 8 o'clock i.e., two—an interval—and two more, will indicate no session in all of the schools; two blasts at 11, no session in the afternoon in grades I to IV inclusive; four blasts at 11 o'clock, no session in the afternoon in all the grades. In case of no afternoon session, grades I to IV shall be dismissed at 12 M., and grades V to IX shall be dismissed at 1:15 P. M.

Meetings of School Committee.—Unless otherwise called by the chairman, the regular monthly meetings of the committee is held on first evening of every month. All bills against the school department should be in the hands of the secretary by the last day of each month.

Burley Education Fund.



The Trustees of the Burley Education Fund, present this their Eighty-Fourth Annual Report.

The funds in their hands are as follows.

Fifteen Shares B & M Railroad stock	\$2220
One Note "Town of Ipswich"	3500
Deposited in Ipswich Savings Bank.	1959 37
" " " " " Caldwell Fund	907 87
" " "Salem Five Cent Savings Bank	200 61
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	\$8887 85

The income since last report has been as follows.

Dividend from B & M Stock	\$90
Interest on Town Note	175
Dividend from Ipswich Savings Bank	67 08
" " " " " Caldwell Fund	35 24
" " Salem Five Cent Savings Bank	7 76
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Ipswich, January 31, 1910	\$375 08

Frank T. Goodhue	}	Trustees Burley Education Fund.
John W. Nourse		
Geo. W. Tozer		
John H. Cogswell		

I have examined the report of the Trustees of the Burley Education Fund and find the same correct. I have also examined the stock, and several Bank Books, and find them to agree with report submitted.

ARTHUR H. WALTON, Auditor.

Brown School Fund.



The Trustees of the Brown School Fund present the following report for the year 1909.

The Funds are as follows

Deposited in Ipswich Savings Bank	\$1250
“ “ Salem Five Cent Savings Bank	1000
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	\$2250 00

The income since last report has been as follows:

Dividend from Ipswich Savings Bank	\$50
“ “ Salem Five Cent Savings Bank	40
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	\$90 00

The above income has been expended in transporting the scholars of the Candlewood District to the schools in the centre of the town.

John H. Cogswell	} Trustees
A. Story Brown	
Benjamin R. Horton	

Ipswich, January 31, 1910.

I have examined the report of the Trustees, of the Brown School Fund and find it to be correct. The funds in their hands, have been examined and I find them to agree with the report submitted.

ARTHUR H. WALTON, Auditor.

Teachers.

High School	John P. Marston Emma G. Gardner Alice E. Perkins Ruth Adams Edith Macurdy	<i>Principal</i>
Manning Grammar	S. Isabel Arthur Grace E. Phillips	<i>Principal</i>
Winthrop Grammar	E. Mable Adams Anna Hartford Katharine C. Baker L. Maude Schofield Ethel C. Bagley	<i>Principal substitute</i>
Burley School	Katharine F. Sullivan Ellen T. Sullivan Elsie W. Johnson Stella C. Adams	<i>Principal</i>
Payne School	Augusta N. Appleton Annie M. Ryan Alice G. Burnham	<i>Principal</i>
Dennison School	Annie P. Wade Clara E. Managhan	<i>Principal</i>
Cogswell School	Helen Tupper Rosalie E. Chase	<i>Principal</i>
Manning St.	Eva A. Wilcomb	
Wainwright school	Elsie C. Green	
Linebrook “	Helen E. Perley	
Grape Island “	Cora H. Jewett	
Music supervisor	Arthur H. Tozer	

Numerical Statement.



Below are statistics in regard to the number of pupils in the schools.

	BOYS	GIRLS	TOTAL
High School	54	59	113
Grade 9	25	34	59
“ 8	31	20	51
“ 7	20	39	59
“ 6	34	38	72
“ 5	64	50	114
“ 4	42	58	100
“ 3	46	42	88
“ 2	52	33	85
“ 1	81	54	135
	449	427	876

Appropriation for 1910.



The Committee Recommend the Following Appropriation
for the Year 1910.

Salaries.....	\$12500
Care of Buildings.....	1100
Fuel.....	1200
Rent.....	1920
Transportation.....	700
Text Books and Supplies.....	1400
Repairs.....	500
Incidentals.....	680
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Total	\$20000 00

Auditor's Report.

To the Citizens of Ipswich.

I MAKE the following annual report of the receipts and expenditures of the Manning School, R. H. Manning, Heard and Treadwell Funds as compiled from the books of their respective Treasurers.

On Feb. 1, 1910 at the Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Co. I made a careful examination of the stocks, and bonds of which these funds are composed.

Bills receipted have been found for all payments.

The securities in the foregoing funds, are listed with the values, as placed upon them, by the Trustees of the respective funds.

No account of fines appear in the year's report of the Heard fund, but the amount has been accounted for, to the Treasurer by the Librarian, as it is spent for incidental supplies.

The bank books of the Heard and Treadwell fund have not been presented to the Bank for the Dividend credits, therefore no interest appears on their report from that source.

ARTHUR H. WALTON, Auditor

Manning School Fund,

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1909	\$258 23
Town of Ipswich as per contract	1900
Rent from Colonial Building	222 75
Income from R.R. Bonds & interest	919 75
Misceilaneous	50
Total receipts	\$3301 23

EXPENDITURES.

J.P. Marston as principal High School	\$1120
Miss E. Gardner salary as assistant	400
Walter Sheppard, janitor	325
“ “ extra labor	9 35
Geo. E. Farley, salary as treasures	150
A. H. Plouff repairs	32 06
Cogswell & Safford	21 83
Boston Safe Deposit, rent of safe	10
Town of Ipswich, taxes	176
Town of Ipswich, water	85 60
T. F. Cogswell Co.	2
C. W. Harvey, labor	2
F. W. Ross “	54 42
Geo. Spencer “	8 75
Geo. Plouff “	7 85
F. A. Knight “	4 45
Jos. A. Webber “	102 40
A. H. Stanford “	20 78
Howard Blake “	5
Wm. A. Webber	1 50
T. P. Thomas labor	2
A. J. Barton “	1 30
M. W. Chadbourne “	11 27
C. C. Caldwell coal	271 96
J. W. Goodhue supplies	55 75
S. F. Canney lumber	118 81
Geo. Safford teaming	7
F. R. Shaller tuning piano	2 50
Board of Health	5
A. I. Savory supplies	2 82
Miscellaneous	32 50
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1910	251 23
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Securities Comprising Manning School Fund.

5, \$1000 4 p.c. Detroit Southern R. 1st M't'ge b'ds	\$5000	
12, " " Peoria & Eastern " " " "	12000	
5, " " Nat. Railways Mex. " " "	5000	
2, " 5 p.c. N. E. Brickyard Co. bonds	2000	
1, " " Passaic Steel Cos. bonds	1000	
Invested in Masters House	7000	
Invested in Colonial Building	18068	11
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	50068	11
Less cash from R. H. Manning fund	7000	
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	\$43068	11

R. H. Manning Fund.

RECEIPTS.

Income from Chicago & No. Michigan R R	\$150	
" " " Terminal Transfer Co	101	25
" Ipswich Savings Bank interest	111	61
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	\$362	86
Deposited in Ipswich Savings Bank	\$251	25
Interest Deposited " " "	111	61
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	\$362	86

Securities Comprising R. H. Manning Fund.

Deposited Ipswich Savings Bank	\$3237	96
4, \$1000 5 p.c. Passaic Steel Co's bond	4000	
3, " " Chicago & No. Michigan bonds	3000	
Loaned to Manning School Fund	7000	
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	\$17237	96

Heard Fund of Ipswich Public Library.

To Year ending Dec. 1, 1909.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand Dec. 1, 1908	\$507 61
Northern Pacific—Great Northern coupons	120
Duluth, Rainy Lake & Winnipeg “	50
Chicago, Burlington and Quincy “	35
Canton Electric Light Bonds “	150
Un. Electric Light & Power Co “	45
Boston & Maine R. R. dividend	260
“ “ Lowell R R “	264
Appropriation from Treadwell Fund	800
From Walter Sheppard	1
“ Mrs. Main	3 51
	\$2236 12

EXPENDITURES.

Mary B. Main, salary as librarian	\$550
Helen B. Ross “ “	240
S. E. Lakeman “ “	100
Walter Sheppard, janitor	153 45
John E. Dodge, painting	23 98
E. W. Choate, labor	2 02
H. W. Wilson books	6
Henry Girard	1 19
Geo. G. Dexter	75
T. F. Cogswell & Co. paint	3 78
Town of Ipswich, Electric Lights	11 80
Cogswell & Safford, Insurance	50 68
H. C. White & Co.	34 68
American Type Foundry Co.	3 19
Town of Ipswich, water	14
Boston Transcript	9

Ipswich Gas Light Co.	113 20
Rent Safe Deposit	10
T. H. Lord, salary	75
C. C. Caldwell, coal	83 63
John R. Andrews	4 37
T. H. Lord, incidentals	30 10
W. Webber	3 50
Balance	711 80
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	\$2236 12

Securities Comprising Heard Fund.

33 shares B. & L. R. R preferred stock	\$5846 25
35 " B. & M. R. R. " "	5117 75
10 " Fitchburg R.R. " "	1200
1 C. B. & O R R 3½ p. c. Bond	943 08
1 Un Electric Light & Power 4½ p. c. bds.	952 38
3 Northern Pacific—Great Northern R R 4 p c bds.	2829 24
1 Duluth Rainy Lake & Winnipeg R R 5 p c bds.	1025 28
3 Canton Electric Light 5 p c bds.	2855 83
Deposited in Ipswich Savings Bank	1018
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	\$21787 81

Treadwell Fund.

For Year ending Jan. 1, 1910

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1909	\$963 39
Rec. for Books	2 29
Dividend Boston & Albany R R	218 75
“ “ & Maine R R	250
“ Old Colony “	210
“ Boston & Providence R R	250
“ Maine Central R R	200
“ Vermont & Mass. R R	150
American Tel & Tel Co coupons	40
Fostoria, Ohio “	20
3 Comanche County “	90
1 Duluth & Rainy Lake “	50
1 Central Branch R R “	20
Hartland Township Kansas	500
Interest on same	313 58
1 Aurora Elgin & Chicago coupon	25
	\$3303 11

EXPENDITURES.

Heard Fund for Library expenses	\$800
W. B. Clarke books	14 64
N. J. Bartlett “	169 18
C. E. Lauriat “	93 63
David Farquhar binding	18 40
Library Bureau	12 50
Houghton Mifflin Co.	17 50
John R. Andrews	2 80

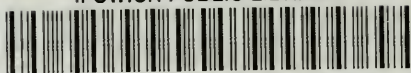
Michilson Bros,	25 12
Lewis Historical Pub Co	25
Gaylord Bros	1
Bates & Guild	6
Independent	2
T H Lord salary	50
Thomas, Nelson & Sons	72
Aurora, Elgin & Chicago 5 p c bds.	981 80
Grafton Press & Book Co	2 15
Herman Goldberger	87 80
Balance	921 49
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	\$3303 01

Securities Comprising Treadwell Fund.

50 shares, Fitchburg R R preferred stock	\$4500 09
30 " Old Colony " " "	5215 50
25 " B & P " " "	6299 25
25 " Maine Central " " "	3082 53
25 " Ver. & Mass. " " "	3460
25 " B & A " " "	3990
1 County Comanche, Kansas 6 p c bds.	1000
1 City of Fostoria, Ohio 4 " "	532 80
1 Am. Tel. & Tel. Co 4 " "	995
1 Duluth, Rainy Lake & Winnipeg 5 p c bds.	1021 25
1 Central Branch R R 4 p c bds	978 44
1 Aurora, Elgin & Chicago 5 p c bds.	1000
Deposited in Ipswich Savings Bank	1756
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